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WOMAN ADMITS GUILT TO TAR AND FEATHER CHARGE

(By United Press)
FREDERICK, Md., Sept. 29.—Mrs. Mary Shank created a sensation in court here when she pleaded guilty to a charge of tarring and feathering Dorothy Grandon, 20, of Martinsburg, W. Va., July 21 last. Mrs. Shank was the first of twenty persons indicted for the "tar and feather party" called for trial.

AUTO ACCIDENT KILLS KANSAS MAN

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 29.—George W. Long, 39, Kansas City, was killed and three other persons were injured when the automobile in which they were riding overturned near here Sunday.

PITTSBURG YOUNG MAN DRAGGED TO DEATH BY FREIGHT

PITTSBURG, Texas, Sept. 29.—Louis Hester, 29, was dragged to death beneath a Cotton Belt freight train during the night. The body was discovered after it had been dragged half a mile.

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Dallas Out After Lutheran College

(By United Press)
DALLAS, September 29.—A "Lutheran College for Dallas" society has been formed here for the purpose of boosting Dallas as a desirable site for the proposed Lutheran College in Texas.

The state locating board will visit Dallas early in October on a tour of several cities in quest of the most desirable place for the institution. Later in the month the national board will assist in the final selection.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 29.—The Taxman Refining Company of Kansas City, the largest wholesale distributor of gasoline in the United States, has been sold to the Cosden Oil Company of Tulsa for \$1,000,000. The company's holdings were largely in Tulsa, Okla. field.

Dapper Youth Identified as Bobe Robber



JOHN FEINSTEIN
John Feinstein, a dapper youth, was picked from a crowd of sixteen men by Miss Bobe, maid to Miss Edith Bobe, wealthy New York modiste, as one of the four men who had kidnapped her, locked Miss Bobe's apartment and then held up and robbed Miss Bobe and her escort, Robert L. Bouque, Standard Oil Company official, of \$100,000 worth of gems.

Farm Irrigation Program of G. O. P. Called Murderous

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 29.—The republican farm irrigation stand was called "murderous" by Senator Burton K. Wheeler here today.

"To say that the way to cure 'drought' is to kill off a few farmers by stopping irrigation aid is nothing short of murderous," the independent vice-presidential candidate declared.

"And yet, that is just what Charles G. Dawes, the republican vice-presidential candidate promised in a recent speech. He said the farmers are producing too much and that his party proposed to readjust their economic ills by preventing further government expenditures for irrigation and reclamation projects in this great West."

"That, of course, would ruin the farmers of five Western states."

"The progressives will never permit such a step if they can prevent. We pledge our just and equitable aid to develop irrigation in our great West."

Wheeler chose the irrigation problem as the striking point of his series of speeches here. He avoided the Klan issue which was brought to the front by Democrats here who adopted a state platform denouncing the order by name.

La Follette's denunciation of the Klan is sufficient to answer all questions on the issue which he believes insignificant when compared to economic issues like farm relief and irrigation, Wheeler contends.

Dropping his role of fighting campaigner last night, Wheeler became a preacher of the Gospel and delivered a sermon on "peace" to the congregation of Grace Community Church here.

HOUSTON MAN COMES TO MEADOR STUDIOS

F. Y. Mammel of Houston arrived Sunday to begin his connection with the Meador's Studio. He is a photographer of state wide reputation, and an able man in his work, says Tom Meador, with whom he will be associated. He will move with his family here soon.

STRUGGLE

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 29.—The Texas League champions, the Panthers, clashed with Memphis for leadership in the Dixie Series championship today. Fort Worth evened the score of the series to date by winning the Memphis visitors 7 to 3 in the Sunday game in which Clarence Kraft, Texas league Babe Ruth, drove in six runs with his three homers, setting a new Dixie Series batting record.

The locals also took the game Sunday on the home ground 11 to 9, featured by five home runs, after tying Memphis once and dropping two games in the east.

Joe Pate worked for the locals Sunday with Warmouth on the mound for eight innings for Memphis. McGrew replaced Warmouth in the eighth.

Otto Merz was scheduled to go on the mound for Memphis here today with Ralph Head working for the Panthers.

The deciding game of the series will be played at Memphis probably tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION TO BE MADE OF MURDER OF FIVE

MANGUM, Ok., Sept. 29.—A coroner's inquest was to be held today into the deaths of Mrs. J. A. Mellon and her four children, found by their father Saturday night with their throats slashed.

Although authorities expressed belief Mrs. Mellon killed her four children and then took her own life, investigation will be made today for clues of murder.

The Mellons lived five miles south east of Mangum. According to authorities Mrs. Mellon showed signs of mental derangement some time ago. Several days ago she expressed fear of being murdered to her husband.

When Mellon returned from a trip to Mangum Saturday night he found his wife and the four children, Elaine, 11; Robert, 8; Dewey, 4; and Estelle 18-months-old, lying on the floor together with their throats slashed. Mrs. Mellon held a razor in her hand.

Fourth Trail Of Man On Murder Charge Goes On

CONWAY, S. C., Sept. 29.—The fourth trial of Edmund Bigham, accused slayer of five members of his family, was resumed today in Horry county court here after several days recess caused by the death of a state witness who was stricken while on the stand.

Bigham, who has escaped the electric chair on three previous occasions when his attorneys made successful pleas for new trials, is being tried on the specific charge this time of murdering his brother, L. S. Bigham.

L. S. Bigham's body, with a revolver clamped in one hand, was found with the bodies of four other members of the Bigham family near the home at Florence, S. C., in January 1921. It was first believed by authorities that he killed the other four, then shot himself.

Later, however, Edmund Bigham was accused of wiping out the entire family, including besides his brother, his mother, a sister and the latter's two adopted boys.

Atlanta Golf Bugs Welcome Champion

(By United Press)
ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 29.—Bobby Jones, Atlanta's favorite son, and incidentally America's new amateur golf champion, was acclaimed by the home folks today.

More than a thousand admiring friends of the new title holder gave Bobby an immense ovation when his train arrived at the station here in a drenching rain.

Mrs. Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sr. were among the first to greet the young champion. Atlanta citizens and the local athletic club have arranged a round of receptions in Bobby's honor during the week.

THE WEATHER

(By United Press)
Texas—Fair and cooler.

ing. First steps on the program of eradication of the disease, declared by Gov. Neff to have brought Texas face to face with the greatest crisis in the history of the State, will be the slaughter and burial of nearly two thousand head of condemned cattle, the property of Dr. William States Jacob, Thomas C. Dunn, Jr., and Perry McFaddin, prominent ranchmen.

The condemned cattle are all on the restricted area of 6500 acres, around which a cordon of guards have been placed since the disease was first discovered.

Thought She Was Joking—Mistaken

WAXAHACHIE, Sept. 29.—"You will die and go to hell if you open that trunk" was the challenge Lucille Owen, negress, gave Limps Love negro, when he attempted to divide the funds they had made picking cotton.

Limps was somewhat of a sport. Besides he thought Lucille was kidding him.

She wasn't. Physicians said if Lucille had slashed an inch lower, he would have been curtains for him. He will recover. Lucille could not be located following the rumpus.

Youth of 14 Confesses Murder.



Asbury Wessinger, a fourteen-year-old boy, of Columbia, S. C., has confessed murdering his aunt with an axe and attacking her three children, his cousins, children of one, three and four years of age. The babies were expected to die. The boy would give no reason for his crime.

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Calhoun also pointed out that amendment was rejected several years ago, which provided for male administration exclusively and declared that the intention was placed that women be not barred from holding office.

BROTHERS MEET DEATH WHEN TRAIN HITS TRUCK

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 29.—Juan Rodriguez, 19, and Faustino, 21, brother, were instantly killed when a truck in which they were riding was smashed by an International and Great Northern passenger train at a grade crossing near here this morning. The bodies were carried 100 feet on the pilot of the engine.

MAN SHOT FATALLY AT CORBICANA

CORBICANA, Texas, Sept. 29.—Joseph George, 26, was at liberty today under bond upon a charge of murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Robert Jones near here early Sunday.

George claimed he fired in self-defense during an altercation.

Success In Retailing Proper Site A Factor

Even sunlight and shadows have their influence on buyers and must be considered in selecting a location for certain kinds of retail establishments, according to the Domestic Commerce Division of the Department of Commerce in "Retail Store Location," the second pamphlet of a series under preparation to help the American retailer overcome his more difficult business problems.

Proper store location is one of the most vital problems of retailing and upon its solution depends in a large part the success of the venture. The Domestic Commerce Division says. A good location is frequently a store's best asset while a poor location may be the cause of failure even when sound merchandising policies are practiced.

The loss to society of the wasted effort and capital of the many men who fail in the retail business is a real economic problem and is worthy of much research for preventive measures. It is believed that the securing of the proper location for the store is one measure that will obviate many of the casualties. The chain stores have led in this respect, and their achievements that show the practicability of the application of the factors in store location to actual business endeavor.

Sunlight is both good and bad. The Division points out in summarizing some of the many factors having bearing on the selection of a proper business site. There is, usually, always a favored side of the street. Women to most of their shopping in the morning, get part of the day and are naturally inclined to seek the shady side. The rear, light, and bright place attract men and even run some displays, although certain trades the sunny side may be preferred. An analysis of sales may show that the largest business in some goods is done in the winter months, during which time the traffic may follow the sunlight. The site is usually cheaper on the sunny side.

In considering a community the number and class of wage earners and permanency of the industries should be analyzed. Some industries are seasonal, creating during boom times a false impression of continued prosperity. The main dominants some cities, such as Birmingham, Hartford, Cleveland, and Akron, while other communities are predominantly transient, such as Haverhill, Lynn, Lowell and Fall River.

Completion, the number and size of present stores, their financial strength, character of stock and service offered are some of the questions which should be examined in considering the market or trade territory. It need not be thought, however, that because competitors shop sparsely and small sales that there are no potential sales. It has been found frequently when a new and thrifty merchant enters the retail field that not only his business is successful, but also that the business of his competitors increases.

Some stores opened on street corners thrive while others do not. Street cars coming from one district will bring a different class of traffic from that brought by cars coming from another district. Customers with automobiles may prefer to go to side streets to avoid the traffic and find parking space. Frequently of service and the fare of either street cars or bus lines have their effect.

Old tumble down structures, empty buildings, billboards, or other unattractive features often drive people to the other side of the street. Most women avoid smoke, noise, bad odors, or dust, and if one side of the street is more pleasant in any of these particulars, it will be protected by pedestrians. Consequently, places near old successful stores may be of great value. Superstition also comes in, for locations noted for a number of failures become known as "hoodooed."

Analysis of the passing traffic with regard to types of goods purveyed is essential. The actual volume of traffic may be analyzed by the hours of the day. Large crowds of working people hurrying to and from factories at times of opening and closing are not good customers for some types of goods. The hours at which traffic is heaviest are important as indicating the purpose on which it is bent. Women are more important to department stores and men to cigar stores.

Drowsy and inefficient clerks are the usual result of poorly ventilated buildings, the pamphlet says in a paragraph devoted to store buildings and construction. In another paragraph entitled "relation to consumers' buying habits," the pamphlet sets that is a well-recognized principle in marketing methods that all sound merchandising policies should start with a consideration of the consumer.

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CHIEF FIGURES IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY



Above: GEN. WOOD & PREMIER HERriot
Below: DR. C. E. SAWYER & GASTON MEANS.

Dr. Gen. Charles E. Sawyer, Officers' Reserve Corps, personal physician to the late President Harding, dropped dead of heart disease at his home near Marion, Ohio. Gen. Leonard Wood, Governor-General of the Philippines, has declared the Volstead prohibition law does not affect the Philippines. Gaston B. Means, former detective for the Department of Justice, has disavowed his reputation of the famous testimony he gave against ex-Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty, declaring he gave the reputation under pressure. Mme. Blaise Bonlieu saved a loaded revolver to guards at the Presidential chateau at Rambouillet, France, and declared she had intended killing Premier Herriot but that he "looked too nice" to shoot.

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Deaf Prisoner Took No Chances

(By United Press)
DALLAS, September 29.—"Wonder how long his roll would have held out?" was the query of court attaches after "one Mexican" pleaded guilty to three separate "calls" before he was halted by Judge P. D. Crawford.

The clerk sounded off a Mexican name and the prisoner arose, pleaded guilty and was fined \$10.

Another Mexican name was called and again the man produced.

When he arose the third time, Judge Crawford halted proceedings. It developed that the prisoner was slightly deaf and was taking no chances of getting in bad with the law. One of the fines was remitted.

Billy Buckner and Jack McKinney have returned to Dallas to resume their studies in the Dental College after spending the summer vacation at home.

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JOHNSON OUT OF GAME

(By United Press)
BOSTON, Sept. 27.—Walter Johnson, premier pitcher for the Washington American League club, will be back in the game in a day or two, officials said here. Johnson was struck on the elbow by a pitched ball yesterday.

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DELPHIAN OPENS STUDY SEASON FOR ANOTHER YEAR

The Mexia Delphian Chapter will convene Wednesday, October the first, at four o'clock, at the home of Mrs. John Swett, for the beginning of another year's work. The members are urged to come and enjoy the afternoon's musical program and hour of social fellowship. The Delphians will study Drama this year as provided in the year books, together with special programs suggested by the Federation of Women's Clubs. The year books will be distributed Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Swett's. Mrs. W. B. Landrum is president for this year. She urges the attendance of each Delphian at this first meeting. Hereafter, the club will meet at three-thirty on the usual club days at the Mexia Public Library.

Oil Caravan Is Skidding

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—"Oil is not so well liked as the Coolidge-Dawson motor caravan in its over-the-plateau, two-wheel, four-wheel, and six-wheel, from news reports from Philadelphia, the fear of a local oil industry is a real one in the city of Brotherly Love.

One of the features of the Philadelphia rally, which the caravan organizers had in mind, was the presentation of a flag to the town of the flag to be an emblem of Philadelphia and to be carried by the tourists on the caravan. The flag was presented to the caravan by the city of Philadelphia, which she is now carrying.

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Noted Automotive Engineer Lauds Daily Newspapers



Harrison Boyce

"Newspapers, particularly the small ones, are a great American product," said Harrison Boyce, the inventor of the motorcar and bicyclist, in a statement which he made in connection with his oil industry by increasing gasoline mileage through carbon prevention. In a statement made for newspapers, advertising and newspaper men, Boyce declared that the millions of small newspapers collectively have a greater influence on American thought and progress than a few large papers in large cities. "Together the medium and smaller newspapers constitute the great mass of important newspaper circulation," said Boyce. "They are generally very carefully edited and contain a great deal of strong and intimate personal interest for the reader."

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MASTER FORGER'S TRICKS EXPOSED

The "Perfect Forgery" Always Has a Weak Spot That Leads to Penman's Downfall.

NATIONWIDE DRAGNET OUT

Bankers Working Together to Catch Crooks Who Cause Losses of \$150,000,000 With Bad Checks Yearly.

A bogus check scheme that was so original, sound and business-like that it became known in detective circles as "the one perfect forgery," but finally, like all of them, led to its own inventor being trapped, is described by Reuben A. Lewis, Jr., in the American Bankers Association Journal. The article which says forgeries cost the banks and business concerns at least \$150,000,000 a year, deals with the ways of forgers and the relentless warfare being conducted against them by the bankers.

"Crime does not pay," Mr. Lewis says. "Soon the law reaches out and seizes the misguided operator who thinks he can get away with it. For one of the peculiar things about the forger is that, while he may devise a clever scheme that brings a rich return on its initial trial, he continues to work it until caught."

"Fortunately, there appears to be a weak spot in the best laid scheme. And just as soon as this weak spot is uncovered, it is broadcast to all the banks in the land. So the banks, informed as to the method of approach of the forger will make, and the little peculiarities of the job, are on the alert to nab him when he makes his next reappearance."

The King of Forgers

"The 'master forger' is William Hamilton Harkins, probably the most dangerous operator known to the banking world. Several times in the toils of the law, Harkins has managed to escape. The daring 'king' of the forgers made a confession that he had defrauded banks of more than \$300,000 during the years of his career. "His scheme follows a certain set pattern. The key to Harkins' plan is obtaining a blank check from the checkbook of a well known firm. Recently Harkins snatched into the office of a granite dealer. He ordered a monument and tendered a check for a substantial part of the memorial. He requested the proprietor of the store to permit him to dash off a letter to his folks at home. Seizing a propitious moment, Harkins spotted his checkbook, noted the exact balance, tore out a sheet of checks and disappeared. Reproducing the proprietor's signature, Harkins drew up a sizeable check. On the reverse side he in-

scribed his alias as the payee and then added after 'O. K.' the facsimile of the depositor's signature. This acted as an identification indorsement, so when he presented the check at the bank it was readily cashed.

The Weak Spot
"The weak spot in Harkins' scheme is the identification indorsement. If the teller, before cashing any check bearing this alleged indorsement, telephoned to the depositor and checked up on its issuance, the scheme would have short shrift."

Banks throughout the country have been put on guard against Harkins and his plan and it is believed he cannot operate long without again falling into the net. The scheme that was pronounced unbreakable was devised by a forger known as F. Mayer and centered around the certified check fraud, Mr. Lewis says, continuing:

"F. Mayer would open accounts with four or five banks in a sizeable city. The largest account ran around \$5,000. By kiting checks back and forth between the several banks he would establish his identity with the tellers and become known as a man accustomed to deal in large figures."

"After conducting these preliminaries for a few weeks, Mayer would go to the bank where he had his largest account and ask that a certified check be issued to him for substantially all of the money remaining to his credit. From the genuine check he would make four or five duplicates."

"In turn, Mayer would visit the other banks, where he had established small accounts. Inasmuch as he had cashed checks for some time, Mayer generally had little trouble in getting the banks to honor the certified checks. If a teller took the precaution of calling the issuing bank on the telephone to insure if it had made out such a certified check, he would gain confirmation."

The Forger Caught
"But even the 'perfect' forgery scheme cannot be worked with impunity. Mayer succeeded in defrauding Kansas City banks out of \$27,000 and made his escape. A few months later he was walking down the streets of Los Angeles when a teller who had honored one of the bogus checks in the middle western city recognized him. Mayer took to his heels with the former teller in hot pursuit, and the criminal lost."

The losses sustained through forgeries by banks may be mainly attributed to the failure of the tellers to observe the rules against cashing checks for strangers or allowing depositors to draw on uncollected items.

"A relentless, sustained hunt is conducted to apprehend the forger. The new twists the variations in the methods the latest ruses used are followed by the detectives. The modes of operation are broadcast throughout the country," the article declares. "The American Bankers Association alone through its Protective Division spends more than \$100,000 a year to check depredations against banks."

flag across the continent, also in the parade on Pennsylvania avenue at the inauguration of President Coolidge.

Another speaker with the caravan was Herbert L. Moore, of Plymouth, Vt., birthplace of President Coolidge, who told his auditors that "Plymouth is an isolated hamlet with four farms, a general store, a cheese factory and twenty-nine permanent inhabitants." Cheese-making being the principal industry at Plymouth, after all the "cheesecloth flag" was quite appropriate to the occasion. Besides, the Fordney-McCumber tariff bill taxes flags so heavily the caravan probably couldn't afford better than one made of cheesecloth.

Another speaker at the Philadelphia rally was Mrs. Hannah Durham, Vice-Chairman of the Pennsylvania Republican State Committee. Mrs. Durham lauded Pennsylvania's own Pittsburgh's millionaire, Secretary Mellon, endorsed his tax plan and declared that although the administration was checked at every turn by a "balky Congress," it "did succeed in reducing taxes from \$250 a year to \$140 a year for the average family." Mrs. Durham neglected to add that the bill which reduced taxes was passed over the violent opposition of Secretary Mellon and President Coolidge. It is also of interest to observe that the income of a family paying a tax of \$140 a year is approximately \$8,000. That may be the type of "average income." Mrs. Durham and Mr. Mellon are concerned about, but the average income of the average American family is far under \$1,000 a year, and Mr. Mellon wouldn't have helped that family a particle.

From the People

COTTON REPORT

There were 22,056 bales of cotton ginned in Limestone County from the crop 1921 prior to September 16th.

There is no comparison made with last year's ginning at this date due to a change in time for making reports—TOM L. COX, special agent.

Miss Velma Wallace left Sunday afternoon for Georgetown, where she will enter Southwestern University.

NOTICE

Owing to a break in the main line from Springfield, which was temporarily repaired this morning, the water will be shut off from 8 p. m., Monday, Sept. 23rd, until 2 a. m. Tuesday morning. Conserve your water supply and be careful of fires.
R. D. MORGAN, R-29-1

A. & M. Has Largest Enrollment This Year

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, September 23.—The A. & M. College of Texas has begun its year's work with a student body nearly 200 larger than any previous one. Although there is a heavy burden of disciplinary work

on the officials of the College due to the crowded dormitory conditions, a successful year is anticipated. The enrollment is 2130. Military drill was held this week for the first time with an army of cadets numbering 1900.

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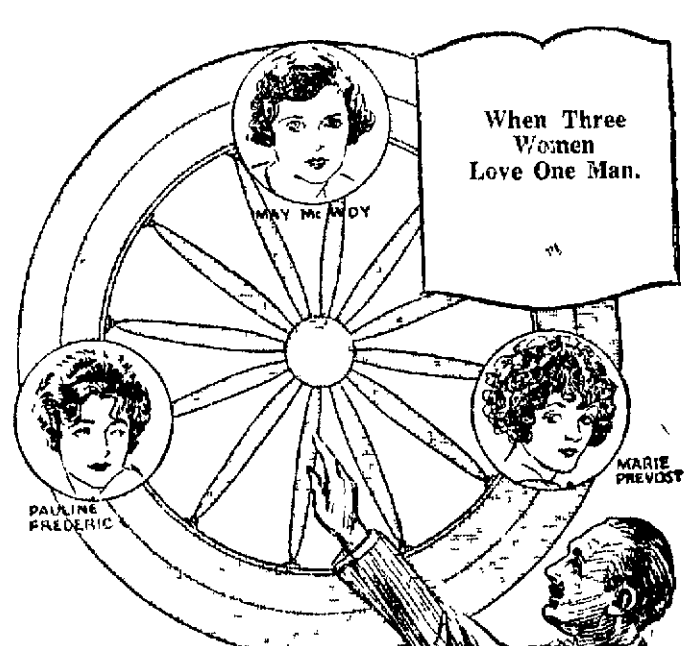
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THE MORGUE OF FAILURES!

The Department of Commerce and Labor, after a thorough survey of business failures, ascribes the cause of a very large percentage to poor judgment and lack of good management.

If the same kind of survey was to be made to discover the reasons for failures in the agricultural industry of the country, the same answer could be given. There are thousands engaged in agriculture who make it an occupation rather than a business. They have no objective; no plan to work out; no idea of demand or supply or of market conditions. They have learned to plow, to plant, and harvest in a sort of way, and to sell to the first person making them an offer. The question of improving the fertility of the soil to increase acre yield is never given consideration. They have learned to grow one crop and continue to grow it in ever-decreasing acre quantities from year to year, hoping against hope that they will be great enough and the price high enough to pay the year's accumulation of debts at the bank and at the stores.

The Department of Commerce report says that manufacturers and merchants are beginning to realize that business is a science and that it is necessary to utilize many of the new methods which are being adopted in the entire field of industry.

Successful farmers also realize that their business is based on science and that scientific methods are demanded in their production, marketing, and management. Those who scoff at what they term "book" farming, "scientific methods", etc., are listed among the failures if they practice what they preach.

—Farm and Ranch.

BRINGING DOWN BOLL WEEVIL.

The most effective measure to be taken by farmers of Texas to rid themselves of the disastrous boll weevil is the destruction of cotton stalks and other material growing in the fields on which it may feed before the insect goes into hibernation about the time of the first frost. This can be done by cutting of stalk and plowing the remains under. The same process will also greatly reduce the next year menace of the boll-worm, webworm and cutworm and is also the proper means to be taken for destroying living roots underground which may perpetuate the awful cotton root rot. In other words one stroke of the plow at this season may save hundreds of costly strokes with poisoning machines next summer and also preserve a large percentage of the crop that would be wasted in spite of all delayed preventative measures. For this reason the Extension Service of the A. & M. College of Texas is working strenuously to set in motion all over Texas a regular campaign for fall plowing. The dead line for concluding this work as calculated by the specialists from official charts on past frost dates is December 1 in the Rio Grande Valley, about November 15 at College Station, and October 28 at Denton. A county farm agent and demonstrator for Limestone county would encourage the farmers to join heartily together in this state wide effort to help the farmers, the backbone of the country. However, there will be many in Limestone who will heed the suggestion, see the wisdom of the campaign and join in the general movement.

The statistics regarding the number of divorces in Texas and those showing the great number of domestic feuds in Limestone county, recently published, is a subject of concern to all men and women who are concerned over the public weal. Just why Limestone county should have so many divorce suits is a question. Of course, there are some contributory causes and these will have to bear the burden of criticism in this respect. The discovery of oil brought many to Limestone and the experience has been to increase the wealth of the newcomers but added little to the home. Both the man and the woman were to blame in many cases.

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out the real trouble and indicate some way of improving the situation should be entitled to a unanimous vote of thanks by the county. Yet, Limestone county people are just as good people as can be found anywhere else, and probably average better.

Now is the time to make a successful fight on the boll weevil. The long drouth and hot weather materially lessened the number of weevils in the cotton fields. Fewer will go into winter quarters than last year, but unless that number is greatly decreased by a systematic clean-up campaign, enough will survive to again become a serious menace next season.

It was last Friday a week ago that William Allen White started to file petitions placing his name in nomination for the governorship of Kansas. On second thought, he decided to wait until Saturday. Of course, he knew that there is nothing to the superstition about Friday being an unlucky day but at the same time thought he had better not take a chance. That is the way of a good many of us are about superstitions.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

COTTON.
(Guaranty Survey)

"One of the most encouraging of recent business developments is the improvement in the outlook for the cotton textile industry. For more than a year the manufacturers of cotton goods have been facing an exceptionally severe depression, the effects of which have been felt in many other branches of industry and trade.

"Among the obstacles to the even and continuous revival of business since 1921 has been the lack of balance between economic groups, due to the fact that certain basic industries have been seriously embarrassed by special conditions which have prevented them from swinging into line in any general upward movement. A conspicuous example is the cotton textile industry, in which the factor of primary importance has been a succession of short crops, with steadily diminishing stock and rising prices for the raw material. This is the exact reverse of situation which has been causing trouble in several agricultural lines, and its principal reaction has been upon the manufacturing rather than upon the agricultural branch of the industry.

"If the economic position of the cotton farmer had been similar to that of the wheat grower or ranchman, the short crops would have caused a depression in the cotton belt, just as low wheat prices caused a depression in the wheat belt. Cotton, like wheat, is a world crop, and the price is a world price. But the cotton farmer is in a peculiarly advantageous position, due to the fact that American cotton constitutes so large a proportion of the world's supply that it virtually dominates the market. For many years the American crop has invariably represented more than half of the world's production. The relative price, therefore, tends to move inversely with the size of the domestic output, short crops being offset by high prices.

"The average relative price has been rising steadily since 1920, while stocks have regularly diminished year by year. Talk of a 'cotton famine' has been heard with increasing frequency, and it appears that another short crop this year would have been virtually sufficient to bring about such a situation.

"Hand-to-Mouth" Buying Policies.

"Combined with the decreasing stocks and rising prices of the raw material has been a radical change in the buying policy of distributors of cotton goods. 'Hand-to-mouth' buying has become the almost invariable rule. Although the same tendency has been apparent in many other lines, it has not generally gone to such lengths, or entailed such serious difficulties, as in cotton textiles. Its effect has been to shift to the manufacturers the burden of carrying and financing the stocks which would ordinarily have been held by wholesale and retail distributors—a burden which the manufacturers were not in a position to assume. The efforts of producers to relieve themselves of these excessive inventories have prevented the prices of finished goods from coming into alignment with the price of raw cotton. This price weakness has in turn served to intensify the cautious attitude of wholesale and retail dealers.

"The price disparity clearly represents an anomalous situation, which cannot continue indefinitely. It has, in fact, already set in motion the forces which would ultimately bring about its correction. Cotton manufacturing has for many concerns become, for the time being, unprofitable, and the activity of textile mills has declined. The domestic consumption of raw cotton decreased steadily from February to July, reaching the lowest point since December, 1920. During the year ended July 31, the total consumption was 5,660,000 bales, as compared with 6,665,000 bales in the preceding year; and in the last six months of that period the total was only 2,582,000 bales, as against 3,037,000 in the first six months. In course of time the reduced supply of fabrics and the lack of demand for raw cotton resulting from curtailed activity would necessarily bring the prices of the two commodities into a more natural relationship.

Favorable Crop Outlook.

"Obviously, however, this readjustment could be effected only at the cost of diminished production (and therefore diminished consumption), great financial loss, and disaster to some concerns. It now appears that such a process may be made unnecessary by the harvesting of a large cotton crop this year. Although the trade has been reluctant throughout the season to accept the more optimistic reports, it is now generally agreed that the crop has come thru in better condition than at first seemed possible.

"The period of possible serious damage to the growing crop has virtually passed, and the latest official report, based on condition September 16, forecasts a harvest of 12,595,000 bales. Most private estimates are considerably above that figure. It is fairly certain that this year's crop will be easily the largest since 1920, and larger than any other since the record crop of 1914.

Improved Price Situation.

"The price of raw cotton, in response to continued good crop reports, has declined this month to new low points for the year. Cotton goods prices have shown some weakness in sympathy with the lower quotations for the raw material, but the decline has been much less pronounced than that of raw cotton. The net result has been a material improvement in the price situation, with a prospect for further improvement if present estimates of yield prove to be substantially correct.

"A measure of relief has already been experienced by manufacturers as a result of more active buying and of the improved price situation. The consumption of raw cotton last month was slightly greater than in July, and the activity of spindles also showed a small increase. Some Southern mills have recently resumed full-time operations after having been on reduced schedules during the spring and summer, and a few are reported to be

using night shifts. A more general revival may be expected if present crop prospects are realized, with prices of the raw material in harmony with production figures.

"It is doubtful, however, whether the new crop will make possible any material increase in the world's carry-over of cotton. It will provide immediate relief from a dangerous situation. But a series of harvests equal to this year's output would be no more than sufficient to supply domestic and foreign requirements and to increase stocks to a point of comparative safety."

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CHILDREN'S DRILL TO BE PRESENTED WEDNESDAY NITE

Sunday was another wonderful day in the Vawter evangelistic meeting at the First Christian church. The day began with a rousing Bible school session. A picture was taken of the entire school. The contest closed between the Greens and Reds leaving the Greens winners. Dr. Vawter preached from the subject, "Why we commune every Sunday." Miss Reaves sang My Mother's Bible, with an accompaniment played on the Organ. The church was packed at the evening service.

Dr. Vawter's sermon was on "The Name, or Why We are Christians Only." "We believe there are Christians in all churches," said the evangelist, "and we are pleading that they drop all human names, and call themselves Christians only. If we did not think there were Christians in other churches, we would stop preaching Christian unity. What would be the use of preaching unity if we had all the Christians already? We believe there are Christians in all churches. In fact we don't believe they are all Christians in our own church."

The song service was especially enjoyable last night, as was also the special number on the Chimes "Whispering Hope," played by Miss Reaves and Mr. House, and sang by Miss Reaves. In response to numerous requests, Miss Reaves also sang the Holy City. There were twelve additions during the day.

As an expression of the goodwill and esteem which is felt by the people of Mexia for the evangelistic party, between six and seven hundred dollars was quickly subscribed at the evening service for the party.

The children's Bible drill class will meet every evening after school. The public drill will be given on Wednesday night at the regular services. Services each evening at 7:15.

Dr. Vawter shows stereopticon pictures for fifteen minutes at the beginning of each service, and the regular service begins at 7:30.

Limestone Farmers To Attend Fair On Farm Bureau Day

Farmers of Texas, particularly cotton growers of the State, have been invited to attend the State Fair of Texas on October 16th by John T. Orr, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association. State Fair officials have designated this day as Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association Day and special programs have been arranged which will be of particular interest to the farmers of the State.

"Not only will the farmers have an opportunity of seeing the Fair, but they will have an opportunity of hearing Aaron Shapiro, nationally known authority on cooperative marketing associations and responsible for the plan upon which the most successful ones in the country are now operating," Mr. Orr said. "Among these is the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association which he was instrumental in organizing, and for which he is still the legal advisor. It is a well known fact that Mr. Shapiro is perhaps better known to the farmers of this country than any one other man, and

New Jersey May Send Woman to Congress.



Mrs. Mary T. Norton won the Democratic nomination in the Twelfth Congressional District of New Jersey in the primaries. Her district is normally Democratic, so she is likely to be the first woman from the East to sit in Congress. Her home is in Jersey City, N. J.

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY



Above: MRS. FLORENCE KNAPP & ANNA GOULD
Below: BISHOP T. F. GAILOR & DR. CHARLES W. ELIOT

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard University, has accepted the chairmanship of the John W. Davis College League. Returning from a European tour, Bishop T. F. Gailor, of Tennessee, championed the modern girl as the equal of the girl of the past. Mrs. Florence E. Knapp, of Syracuse, N. Y., has been nominated by the Republican party for Secretary of State. It took Paris dressmakers ten years to collect \$5,500,000 from the Duchess de Talleyrand, formerly Anna Gould, daughter of the late Jay Gould and divorced wife of Count Boni de Castellane, her counsel declared in a lawyers' council arranging settlement of the \$22,000,000 Gould estate.

Zoning Number Is Issued By Texas Municipal League

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 29.—"Zoning number" is the descriptive title given to the last issue of the Texas Municipalities, a magazine published bi-monthly by the League of Texas Municipalities, at Austin.

Among the articles of chief interest is one by E. A. Wood, city plan engineer, Dallas, on the subject of Building Cities by Blue Print. According to opinions given in his article, the time has come when official city planning commissions must be made a part of every progressive city government in the state.

Miss Frances Scarbrough of San Antonio, formerly research assistant in the Bureau of Government Research, has contributed an article on Texas Tourist Camp Problems. Research, has contributed an article on Texas Tourist Camp Problems and their solutions.

Diesel engines will pay dividends to taxpayers is the title of an argument presented by J. H. Lucke of Dallas, who says that only two types of engines are practical for municipal plants in Texas, these being the Diesel, an internal oil combustion engine, and steam engines, using oil as fuel.

F. M. Echols, Mayor of White-wright, has written an interesting article on "Whitewright: A Model of Governmental Efficiency." Although

a town of less than 2,000 population, it is stated that Whitewright has virtually the City Manager form of Government by making the mayor full-time supervisor of practically all departments of the city's government.

The Problem of Collecting Delinquent Taxes is the subject of an article by E. V. Brown, city attorney of Texarkana. Delinquent tax payers have too much protection under the law of Texas, cities too little, thinks this attorney, and the surest cure for this yearly recurring problem is a simplification of laws on the subject.

A. & M. Animals Win All Prizes At Show

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, September 29.—The A. & M. College herd of dairy animals won 14 first prizes, all championships, highest awards on Jerseys, Guernseys and Holsteins at the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo the past week. The herd will next be shown at Wichita Falls, Dallas and Waco. The prize money won at Amarillo was sufficient to pay all expenses incident to taking the animals the long distance.

Ennis To Vote on Paving Bonds

(By United Press)
ENNIS, September 29.—Ennis residents will ballot October 21 upon a \$75,000 paving bond issue, according to a decision by the city commission.

Under existing contracts with paving material companies, the amount would enable Ennis to have some of the finest streets for its size in the state.

Brazilian Troops Defeated in Skirmish

(By United Press)
BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 28.—Brazilian Government troops in the State of Parana were defeated and routed in battle with revolutionaries who have declared their independence, according to dispatches received here today.

The news means that the Brazilian

HOME DRESSMAKING



calls for three yards of georgette, 36 inches wide, one-half yard of satin crepe and seven yards of ribbon.

In the two figures given, the dress-maker is shown how to fashion the belt. First a piece of ribbon eight inches long is plaited. Then it is run with a thread and drawn together at the center (Fig. I). If the rosettes are desired larger, make the first strip of ribbon longer before it is plaited. Then take another piece of ribbon for the belt and run it through the wheels formed by plaiting and gathering the shorter strips of ribbon. Tie in the back or arrange the ends in any desired way after the belt is adjusted to the front and sides of the dress.

The printed materials featured in the development of youthful fashions are unusually interesting and attractive this season. Velvets take inspiration from the peasant frocks

There is sufficient variety in youthful styles to please everyone, and the grown-up fashions are always adapted to junior needs with discretion and charm. The apron drapery on this dress may be omitted, if preferred.

The young girl who likes something different as well as her older sister, will be attracted greatly by this frock of printed georgette crepe designed for formal wear. It is trimmed with grosgrain ribbon, formed into graceful rosettes for the belt, and with plain satin crepe, which is used to bind the scalloped edges of the apron, the collar and the cuffs of the skirt, and kimono sleeves. For 8 or 10 year size the dress

Fig. I—Plaited ribbon gathered in center.
Fig. II—Belt run through ribbon wheels.

of central Europe, refining the colors of the embroidery to blend with the more delicate pastel shades employed in developing them. Crepes are colorful and challis are distinguished for their novelty both of design and color harmony.

revolution, thought to have been suppressed, has flared up again. Revolutionary officers with an unknown number of followers struck at the Government in Parana, a state of more than half a million popu-

Russian Ban On Radio Receiving Sets Is Lifted

MOSCOW, Sept. 29.—The Soviet Government has finally recognized the public interest in radio, and is now granting permission to private individuals to have their own receiving sets to pick up broadcasting.

A special decree, however, forbids private individuals picking up Government matter or information intended for the press, or matter coming from wireless stations in foreign lands.

Licenses are demanded for all receiving sets, and private individuals will be charged a fee of \$5 a year, while workmen will be charged only fifty cents yearly.

VELVIS GRAHAM RESTS WELL AFTER INJURY

Velvis Graham, messenger boy for the Western Union Telegraph Company, who was run over and seriously injured late Saturday afternoon by an automobile at the corner of Main and Belknap is reported resting well today. He is at the Brown Hospital.

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tion. They proclaimed it an independent state, giving it the name of Brazilenda.

According to a revolutionary manifesto, the new state includes the Southern part of Matto Grosso, as well as part of Parana.

The manifesto was signed by Generals Diaz Lopez and Juan Francisco and Colonels Bernardo Padilha and Miguel Costa, who were prominent in the Sao Paulo revolt.

The rebels scored at least one decisive victory over the loyal troops.

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A.&M. Students Return From National Matches

COLLEGE STATION Texas, September 22.—Three students of the A. & M. College of Texas have returned to the College from the national rifle matches held at Camp Perry, Ohio, from September 1 to 20. They were on the eight corps area team and won their place by virtue of making the highest grades in the summer training camp held at Fort Sam Houston. They were given a three weeks' intensive course in rifle firing and participated in two days of competition.

World Series Heroes

(By United Press) 1919—Walter Ruetheer, Red pitcher by his batting, and Eddie Roush, Red center fielder, by his fielding were the big factors in most of the defeats of the White Sox.

1920—Elmer Smith, Cleveland right fielder, hit a home run with the bases full, the first time in world's series history. Bill Wambach, Cleveland second baseman, completed a triple play unassisted.

1921—Jess Barnes, regarded as the "pail bearer" of the Giants' pitching staff, relieved Toney twice after he had been knocked out of the box and won both games.

1922—Jack Scott, released unconditionally by the Cincinnati Reds for having an unclean arm, and picked up by McGraw, turned the big hero of the series when he let the Yanks down with four hits in the third game and won for the Giants by a score of 3 to 0.

1923—Bob Meusel was the conspicuous hero of the 1923 world's series. With the bases filled in the eighth inning of the last game, Babe Ruth was fanned by Bill Ryan. Meusel then came up and rapped a single to center field scoring Haines and Johnson. Cunningham made a wild throw into the dugout and Dugan scored and Meusel went to third. Meusel's single, it turned out, won the game and the series. Casey Stengel, winning two games with home runs, was the big Giant hero.

Last year's world's series between the Yankees and the Giants was made noteworthy by its tremendous financial success, more than by any record breaking performances on the field.

For the first time, due to the immense stadiums that were available in New York, the series went into the million dollar class. The total attendance for the six games was 301,130 and the receipts \$1,063,815.

The reward for the players was more than it had ever been dreamed of twenty years ago. The Yankee's players got \$6,143 each as their share while the defeated Giant players drew down \$4,112. The series made a new record for receipts at a single game when the third and fifth games drew more than \$201,000.

SPORTLIGHTS

It has been many a day since Mexico has seen such a gala day as was evident here Saturday. Everybody has the football spirit after seeing the nip-and-tuck battle between two evenly matched teams. It was a rare football treat for the opening season.

Joe Potter, the Wildcat Captain, has a well educated toe. A college eleven could have out-kicked him in that game. It is true that the wind was in his favor part of the time, but he made many nice kicks against the wind in the last half.

Although Alday, the little Wesley, halfback, did not do so well in the punting duel, he more than made up in his continual pounding at the line. His twenty-two yard run for a touchdown was not a fluke but a good clean right end run, in the last quarter.

On the visiting squad Bowman, captain of the fighting Methodists, played a wonderful steady game at left tackle, although not so spectacular as some of his team mates.

Spectators thought that McNulty the Wesley quarter would surely yell his lungs out before the first half was over. His signals could be heard almost the entire length of the field but when the final whistle

blew he was still barking as strong as ever.

Our own Dutch Cox was up to his star and was hitting the enemy hard, so hard that he must have jarred all their teeth loose. Dutch is about fifteen pounds heavier than he was last season and is as hard to move off his feet as a ton of brick.

Coach Chas. Lewis has received many high compliments on the fine condition of his team in so short a length of time. The Greenville paper admits that formerly the Westminster squad was used as a practice game. Well, they got enough practice Saturday to last them a few weeks.

At the beginning of the game it looked as if the Wildcats were going straight down the field for a touchdown; they made continual first down and soon got into dangerous territory where they lost the ball on a fumble.

There was not a man on the field who offered more resistance than did big Tom Battle, the 235 pound guard in the Wildcat line.

Not a better pair could have been picked for officials of the game than "Country" Williamson, former Baylor captain and star, as referee, and high school coach, Potest umpire.

Everybody is anxious to see what kind of a football team "Country" Williamson is going to put out at Mart this season. This is his first year as a coach, and we will get a chance to see his team in action here on Thanksgiving day when the clash with the Black Cats.

The Southwestern conference teams all lack the early season punch. Perhaps it is due to the weather. It will take them about two more games to get down to the proper stride. They should go in good condition by the time of the State Fair starting on the 11th of this month.

Rice is still an unknown quantity, as they have not made their initial bow into the 1924 season. But John W. Hiesman, the head coach, with the million dollar reputation, is not going to leave anything undone that will enable him to win the championship of the Southwestern Conference.

Conference Standing

	P	W	L	Tot
Texas A. & M.	2	2	0	1000
Texas University	1	1	0	1000
Baylor	1	1	0	1000
S. M. U.	1	1	0	1000
T. C. U.	1	1	0	1000
Okl. A. & M.	1	1	0	1000
Rice	0	0	0	000
Arkansas	0	0	0	000

In the write up of the game Saturday, reference was made to the score in 1923 between Westminster and Wesley. Wesley won that game 7 to 0 instead of 7 to 0. Wesley, with a strong team this year, probably stronger than last, came this year to face a team that had been whipped into fighting shape by Coach Lewis and was a formidable foe on the gridiron Saturday. The game was won by Wesley by a lone touch down, the only score of the game.

The next game that Westminster plays is to be at Tehuacana. Here's hoping that the line fellows who wear the blue from the hill will bring another game to Nowlin field.

It was a pretty good gate Sat-

IMPORTANT FIGURES IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY.



Thomas Taggart, veteran Democratic leader of the State of Indiana, is seriously ill at his summer home in Hyannisport, Mass. The Bulgarian Embassy in Paris has issued an official denial to the emphatic rumors that have spread in Europe that King Boris has been assassinated in Sofia. United States Senator Walter E. Edge, fought by the "drys," has been renominated by the Republican party in New Jersey over National Committeeman H. F. Kean. United States Senator Ralph H. Cameron, of Arizona, has been peremptorily ordered by the Courts in Phoenix to remove his Cape Horn Lodge mine from the Bright Angel Trail, which is declared to be Government property.

SPORT TABLOIDS.

MILAN, Italy.—Ermino Spalla retained the heavyweight championship of Europe by outpointing Piet Vandervor of Holland in a 20-round bout.

NEW YORK.—Wille Hoppe, world's billiard champion and Eric Hagenbacher, champion of Germany, have signed for a 200 point match at three cushion billiards to be played Oct. 6 and 7.

PRINCETON, N. J.—Ralph Gorman, "Bruno" Hills of Washington, has been elected captain of next year's track team at Princeton. Hills has been a member of the last two Olympic squads and placed third in the shot put at the Paris games.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Boyd and son, George, were Waco visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boyd, and baby, Walter Kline, Jr., are visiting relatives in Terrell since Saturday.

Friday, even if the business men and their employees could not turn out. A game here Friday or any other day but Saturday would win a much bigger crowd.

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THE SCOREBOARD

(By United Press)

Yesterday's hero—Dazzy Vance, the ace Brooklyn hurler, who won his 28th victory of the season, enabled the Robins to close the season with a 6 to 1 win over the Boston Braves.

Now that it doesn't count the forlorn Phillies turned on the Giants and batted their way to a 11 to 6 triumph over the National League champions.

The Cardinals ended their season with an even break in a double-header with the Reds. Rhem held the Reds to seven hits in the first game which St. Louis took 9 to 3. Benton hurled the Reds to an 8 to 2 victory in the second.

Tigers and the White Sox battled to a 10-10 tie, the game being called in the tenth inning on account of darkness.

Chicago trounced Pittsburgh 7 to 2, the defeat costing the Pirates any chance of second place in the National League race.

Yesterday's Home Run Hitters
Williams, Phillies, 1—24.
Harper, Phillies, 1—16.
O'Connell, Giants, 1—2.
Thomas, Braves, 1—1.

Home Run Leaders

	1924	1923
Ruth, Yankees	46	38
Fournier, Robins	27	21
Hauser, Athletics	27	17
Hornsbey, Cardinals	25	17
Williams, Phillies	24	38
Kelly, Giants	21	16

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Midnight Golf Is Hollywood Vogue

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 22.—Midnight golf is the latest innovation in Hollywood.

The public won't believe it, but movie stars don't find time to play golf in daylight hours, and have to resort to a moonlighted course.

With balls, hole sticks and other paraphernalia of the links covered with a phosphorous paint, and electric lights taking the place of flags at the holes, some excellent scores have been made over the Wilshire course here.

Helene Chadwick, Tony Moreno, Dorothy Mackall, Pat O'Malley and Bessie Love are the leading night players.

Owen Moore is conceded to be the best golfer, day or night, among the picture folk.

Bryant Washburn and T. Roy Barnes are runners-up.

Larry Semon plays the game and owns more than 150 clubs.

ZRS TO START FOR AMERICA NEXT WEEK

(By United Press)

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—The ZRS may start for America next week, if the weather is favorable.

The Giant Zeppelin which is to be flown across the Atlantic and delivered to the United States as a spoils of war, came through her long 34-hour test with flying colors and is ready for the flight.

Her commander, Captain Eckner, will not gamble, however, but will start only when reports indicate the voyage can be made in perfect safety.

A preliminary examination of the motors of the ZRS which returned to Friedrichshafen at 7 o'clock last night after cruising since 9 a. m. Thursday showed them to be functioning in perfect order.

The radio needed some overhauling, as it failed partially during the trip.

MORAN.—The street lighting system for this city has been completed by the West Texas Utilities Company and the lights are now in service.

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A. M. WESSON
JEWELER
Mexia, Texas

© 1928 by Int'l. Feature Service Inc.
Great Britain rights reservedHints From a House-
Wife's Kitchen DiaryEasy House-
Keeping IdeasA WHOLE SOME BAKED
DINNER

Most housewives do not realize that even the simplest of things, if prepared on top of the stove, can be made so easy and so delicious that they are almost irresistible. The old-fashioned way of baking a dinner is still the best, and it is a fact that the old-fashioned way of baking a dinner is still the best, and it is a fact that the old-fashioned way of baking a dinner is still the best.

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Besides being easily prepared, rice dishes are especially nourishing and a good substitute for potatoes which, unless baked, cannot be prepared in a short time. Rice can be cooked in twenty minutes and used at any time throughout the day. The following recipe for Mexican baked rice makes a very substantial "one-dish dinner" which is suitable for busy days.

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With the approach of cool days it is a very easy housewife begins to think of her tall German pasty. Although she is anxious to get her pasty, she is often puzzled by the actual work which she does. The fulfillment of her desire is not at all difficult if she has the proper equipment and planning. It should be made in a large, shallow pan, and the housewife should be careful to use a good quality of flour and butter. The pasty should be made in a large, shallow pan, and the housewife should be careful to use a good quality of flour and butter.

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FOR RENT—Two-room modern apartment with hot and cold water. Desirable location. 411 North Red River Street. Phone 48. L-26-7

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FOR RENT—Front apartment for light housekeeping, everything furnished. Phone 246. 02 N. Ross. 27-L-3

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. Also one large room for two—all close in and convenient. See the mat 201 N. Bonham St. MRS. M. M. WOOD. L-28-2

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment, furnished, sink in kitchen, 2 blocks north of post office, 318 N. Sherman, also small unfurnished house, 1 block south of High School, Red River Street, phone 108-J. A. A. STEELE. L-28-2

ROOM and MEALS—\$8.00 per week. Convenient to Cotton Mill. 616 S. McKinney. MRS. R. A. DAY. K-27-2

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms in private home, also one bedroom all conveniences. 609 S. McKinney St. L-28-2

Judge Alf Harper of Dallas was in the city Saturday shaking hands with old time friends and attending to some business.

FURNISHED light house keeping rooms, also one large room for two. All close in, see them at 201 N. Bonham St. M. M. WOOD. 29-1

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FOR SALE—Farm one mile of Mexia, 146 acres. Might trade for cattle mules or other trade. J. R. THOMPSON Jr., 110 E. 8th St., Dallas, Texas. 25-J-4

FOR SALE—Corn, cattle, bees, iron safe, plateglass mirrors, glassware, urn, cooler, oil stoves and wall show-case. 606 Hopkins St. J-25-3

LOTS FOR SALE ON ROSS. Two lots for sale on North Ross. See F. R. KLOTZ (owner) for price and particulars.

FOR SALE—Four-room house and lot five hundred dollars, painted and sealed. Box 543 or room 19, Ross & Green Bldg. J-27-2

FOR SALE—Pears at 75c per bushel at orchard. W. H. WEAVER at Shiloh. Phone Shiloh. 21J7

FOR SALE—A five-room house, store building, and fixtures, with or without. Small stock of goods. Well located and on paved street. Call 153-L. J-26-7

106 acres improved farm. Nearly all in cultivation. 5-room house. Two wells, plenty of water. One mile from good school. A nice going home. Choc and sandy soil, near Ina Oil Wells, no royalty sold. Its a bargain at \$5,000.00, write box 713 Hondo, Medina County Texas. J-26-1

MR. LAND BUYER—Do you know that Medina county offers many advantages to you? Medina County took first place at the last West Texas Agricultural exhibit held at Austin, Texas. Also has many oil wells drilling. Land still selling at a low figure; ask O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas. The Medina County Land Man.

FOR SALE—Three vacant lots, south front, near Cotton Mills. See N. P. ROUX, owner, at News office. 28-4-J

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(These quotations are based on prices paid by purchasing companies in Dallas, revised daily.)

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Below 33 gravity \$1.15
33 to 35.9 gravity 1.4
36 to 38.9 gravity 1.60
39 gravity and above 1.75
Mirando 75
Luling 50
Rockdale-Minerva 1.60
Above 39 gravity 1.80
Gulf Coast.
Grade A \$1.50
Grade B 1.30

NORTH AND CENTRAL TEXAS.

North Texas— Aug. 2 July 26
Burkburnett 19,450 19,150
Electra 20,750 21,450
Iowa Park & K-M-A 4,850 4,950
Petroh 350 350
Archer County 29,200 30,450

Total, North Texas ... 74,600 75,350
Central Texas—
Stephens County ... 19,350 20,100
Ranger (Eastland) ... 6,950 6,950
Desdemona 4,000 4,000
Young County 4,150 4,150
Mexia 27,500 28,300
Currie 8,800 3,400
Richland 14,900 16,500
Corsicana-Powell 92,400 82,400
Corsicana, heavy 650 650
Strawn 1,350 1,350

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EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.

North bound—
45 From cut-off 1:47 p. m.
15 Dallas Ft. Worth 3:44 p. m.
31 Dallas Ft. Worth 12:50 p. m.
37 Dallas Ft. Worth 5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth 3:53 a. m.
South bound—
46 To cut-off 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio 11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas 10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San Antonio 12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio 1:37 a. m.
20 Houston San Antonio 12:16 a. m.

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No. 5—3:25 p. m.
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35 to 37.9 gravity	1.40
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.50
De Soto crude	1.00
Crichton	1.40
Bellevue	1.50
Smackover.	
28 gravity and above	\$1.05
25 to 26.9 gravity	.80
Below 24 gravity	.70
Stephens District.	
Atlantic.	
33 gravity and above	\$1.60
Below 33 gravity	1.50
El Dorado east field	.70
El Dorado.	
Posted by Atlantic Oil Company:	
28 gravity and above 60 deg.	\$1.15
25 to 27.9 gravity at 60 deg.	1.10
23 to 25.9 gravity at 60 deg.	.95
Below 23 gravity at 60 deg.	.75
Eastern States.	
New Work Transit	\$3.35
Bradford, Pa.	3.25
Other Pennsylvania grades	3.00
Cabel	1.60
Ragland	1.00
Corning	1.90
Somerset medium	1.70
Somerset light	1.85

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ANNUAL CONGRESS OF
SARVY COUNCIL NOW
OPENS AT LOUISVILLE

(By United Press)

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 29.—A new method of dealing with the national academy problem was announced today by the National Sarvy Council, which is holding its annual convention here.

Then came a report that the council had decided to handle the academy problem in a new way. The council had decided to handle the academy problem in a new way. The council had decided to handle the academy problem in a new way.

The council hopes to end the end of all such a situation, where interest in an way touch upon the

street and highway problem.

U. B. Auel, vice president of the council, explained how the new problem would be supplement the efforts of American cities—none of which have just announced they have reduced public accident fatalities during the first six months of 1924 in comparison with the same period in 1923.

Seaplanes are to be used to carry passengers landing from ships at the harbor across the British channel to Southampton to take trains for London.

The California inventor claims his automobile direction and stops signal to warn following drivers is sufficiently brilliant to penetrate dense fogs.

A radio system between Peking and Tientsin enables telephone subscribers in those cities to communicate through their office or residence telephones.

GIANTS ARE NOW STARTING TO TRAIN FOR SERIES

By HENRY L. FARRELL.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—With their fourth straight National League champions put away safely in the bag, the New York giants start preparations today for the World's Series.

The champions have the final game of the regular season with the Phillies and Manager McGraw planned to work a lot of the rookies who have eating off the club during the season. McGraw does not, however, intend to let his regulars get off edge and several exhibition games will be played before Saturday when the series start.

The Washington Senators have not won the American League pennant officially but they were just as good as in. They have two more games to play with the Boston Red Sox and they have a lead of two games. The New York Yankees have a pair of games to play with the Philadelphia Athletics. If the Senators should lose two and the Yankees should win two they would finish in a tie and would have to go through a three-game series to decide the pennant. But the chance for a play off is remote.

The Senators can clinch the pennant if they win today's game and also if the Yankees lose theirs.

The Giants apparently figure that Washington is sure to win its plans have been made to send the team to Washington Thursday night. The players will work out in the Washington baseball park Friday, according to the arrangements.

McGraw is figuring on having Frank Frisch, captain of the team and Heinie Groh his veteran third baseman in shape to play during the series.

Frisch might have played a few innings yesterday but his manager would not allow him to take any chances. Groh, it was said would be able to get back in uniform in a few days.

While an line-up has been decided upon, McGraw intimated that he would like to use the following batting order, Groh, third base; Frisch, second base; Young, rightfield; Kelly, centerfield; Terry, first base; Wilson, left field; Jackson, shortstop; Cowdy, or Snyder, catcher.

Because of his experience and his ability as a fielder, Arthur Nehd, the veteran southpaw, may be called upon to pitch the first game for the Giants. He is in fine shape, now. McQuillan and Jack Bentley, the former International League left hander are also in good condition and ready for their turn.

McGraw said today he hadn't made up his mind about the pitcher and that the weather would have much to do with making his choice.

The Giants are ruling a slight favorite in the betting to win the series if Washington plays the American League end. Not much money is being offered as the Giants backers are doubtful about the team if Frisch and Groh do not play.

Read News Classified Ads.

CONGRESSMAN INDICTED FOR CIDER-MAKING.



CONGRESSMAN JOHN PHILIP HILL, of Baltimore, Md., a decided "wet," is shown dispensing 2.75 per cent cider to some of the 1,500 guests who recently visited him in his "back yard farm," where he raised the apples which produced the cider. The cider was dispensed to test the dry laws, but dry agents didn't disturb the party. However, as a result, Congressman Hill has been indicted by a Federal Grand Jury for possessing wine and cider, manufacturing wine and cider, and maintaining a nuisance through the manufacture of the beverages.

RADIO PROGRAMS

- Station Call Letters.
- KDKA, East Pittsburgh, 326.
KGO, Oakland, 312.
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KHJ, Los Angeles, 395.
KPO, San Francisco, 423.
KSD, St. Louis, 546.
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WBAY, Columbus, Ohio, 390.
WBB, Springfield, Ill., 337.
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WMC, Memphis, 500.
WSB, Atlanta, 429.
WDAF, Kansas City, Mo., 411.
WDAF, Chicago, 360.
WFAA, Dallas, 476.
WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400.
WIP, Philadelphia, 509.
WJAX, Cleveland, Ohio, 390.
WLW, Cincinnati, 309.
- Tune In Time—Central Standard Time
(See Station Calls Above)
- (Central Standard Time)
By DAISY MAYES.
6:00 to 7:00 p. m.
- KFI, 6:00 Sunny Jim, the children's pal.
KGO, 6:00 to 7:30 Dance orchestra.
WOAW, 6:00 Popular half-hour.
WWJ, 6:00 Detroit News orchestra.
WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.
WIP, 6:00 Uncle Wip's bedtime stories.
WOAW, 6:30 Dinner program.
WOO, 6:30 Roof garden orchestra.
WDAF, 6:50 Moving Picture 20-
- view.
7:00 to 8:00 p. m.
WOC, 7:00 Sandman's visit.
WBE, 7:00 to 8:00 Educational hour; music.
WCX, 7:00 Musical program.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30 Features, Majestic theater.
KGO, 7:30 to 8:00 KGO kiddies club.
- 8:00 to 9:00 p. m.
WLW, 8:00 Orchestra.
WOC, 8:00 Orchestra.
WDAF, 8:00 to 9:30 Program.
WOS, 8:00 Address.
WSB, 8:00 Vocal classics.
WOO, 8:10 Fox theater grand orchestra.
WDAF, 8:10 Stanley theater symphony orchestra.
WOS, 8:20 Band concert.
WLW, 8:30 Theatrical review.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30 Mozart choral club.
- 9:00 to 10:00 p. m.
WDAF, 9:00 Dance orchestra.
WLW, 9:00 Cooper orchestra and male quartet.
WOAW, 9:00 Opera program.
WOO, 9:00 Roof garden dance orchestra.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45 program.
10:00 to 11:00 p. m.
KGO, 10:00 concert.
KFI, 10:00 to 11:00 Evening Herald dance orchestra.
KGO, 10:00 Educational program; Arion trio.
WOC, 10:00 musical program.
WSB, 10:45 Radiowall entertainment.
11:00 to 12:00
KFI, 11:00 to 12:00 Examiner concert.
WDAF, 11:45 Nighthawk frolic.

SUNDAY BIG DAY AT METHODIST CHURCH IN MEXIA

Sunday was a big day at the First Methodist church here, the membership getting into line for the final campaign to wind up another successful year before the Central Texas Conference meets in Brownwood within the next six weeks.

Noel Hollingsworth, chairman of the Board of Stewards, made an appeal at the morning hour Sunday for all the members of the church to give their cooperation to the stewards in making all payments due on their pledges and assessments, within the next fifteen days, in order that the last month of the conference year might be devoted to other church work.

Rev. J. W. W. Shuler of the Methodist church at Graham preached at 11:00 o'clock and the pastor, Rev. W. B. Andrews, at 7:30. Rev. Andrews is urging the importance of the night services and the weekly prayer meetings. The choir and the pastor, both, he declares work just as hard, if not a little bit harder, on the Sunday night service than on the morning service and the messages of Wednesday evening, too, is brought after close study and prayer.

The ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society are to meet Monday afternoon.

Three additions to the church were announced by the pastor Sunday morning.

Assistant Attorney General In Kansas Injured By Auto

(By United Press)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 29.—Roy R. Hubbard, special assistant Attorney General of Kansas was in a critical condition today as the result of injuries received in a motor car collision here Sunday. Hubbard's skull was believed fractured.

Mrs. Charles B. Griffith, wife of the Attorney General of Kansas who was riding in the Hubbard car was injured but not seriously. Other occupants of the automobile were slightly hurt.

Another Arsenic Poisoning Case In Illinois Clears

(By United Press)
MARION, Ill., Sept. 29.—The third arsenic love murder in Southern Illinois in two months was cleared up today with a man and a wife of six days in the Williamson county jail, after confessing they poisoned the woman's former husband to get him out of the way.

First degree murder indictments probably will be returned by the county grand jury in session here this week against Robert Tate, coal miner, who made the final confession in the murder of Joseph Harrington.

Ruby Harrington Tate, widow of the victim who married Tate just twenty days after the death of Harrington on Sept. 3, confessed Saturday that she gave her husband the final dose of arsenic in buttermilk.

Tate's confession, obtained after 30 hours of cross examination by Sheriff George Galligan and his deputies, corroborated the woman's story in almost every detail.

Tate acknowledged intimacy with the woman over a period of about six months, starting when he was a boarder at the Harrington home.

SEE MARY'S ANKLE TONIGHT.

Tonight will be the first performance of Mary's Ankle presented at the Opera House by the Edna Parks Players. This is a good wholesome comedy, and will be enjoyed by men, women and children alike.

This play which will run for three nights is one of the best that has been put on by the stock company since coming to Mexia. Don't fail to see it.

\$75,000.00 BLAZE AT NACOGDOCHES, TEXAS

(By United Press)
NACOGDOCHES, Texas, Sept. 29. Fire believed to have originated in the second story office destroyed five two-story buildings at Garrison near here early Sunday with an estimated loss of \$75,000.

The fire burned itself out after the block of buildings was gutted. Fire fighting equipment sent from here was powerless due to lack of water pressure.

France Looms As Strong Contastant For the Davis Cup

By HENRY L. FARRELL.
(United Press Sports Editor)
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—America's overwhelming defeat of Australia in the challenge round at Philadelphia for the Davis cup was not a surprise. The decisiveness of the victory, however, was not expected.

With a Johnston who was thought to be on the decline and a youthful Richards who had never played cup singles before to help Bill Tilden, no one braved the forecast that the Americans would win the shutout victory of five to nothing.

Not only did the Australians fail to win one of the five matches, but they were able to win only one set and that in the doubles, where they were given a fine chance to win by the ex-tics.

America has had a chronic weakness in the doubles since Bill Tilden and Bill Johnston went to Australia in 1919 and brought back the cup. When other combinations failed, the committee this year turned back to the two Bills, and they delivered in noble fashion.

The United States already has made a new record of winning the challenge round for five years in succession and for holding the cup over the long stretch of continuous time. The prospect for the future is not bright as it was four years ago, of course. But there is no reason to believe that the team tennis supremacy of the world will not remain here for two years or more.

It has been proved rather convincingly that Australia has no chance to win the cup with the players that are now available. The challenging team, of course, would have been stronger this year with Jim Anderson, the Australian captain, in the lineup, but it would not have been strong enough to win the cup. Patterson and Wood are just as old and as far along in tennis as Tilden and Johnston. Brookes is through and the young Australians are not as far along as Richards and Howard Kinsey and there is little chance for them to catch up.

After all the money that has been spent in sending a team halfway around the world on a fruitless quest for the cup, it is probable that Australia may not challenge again next year, for the task will be just as hopeless and they know it. It is very likely that if Australia does send out another team next year that it will not get as far as the challenge round.

The menace to the future life of the cup in the United States looks to be developing in France. Rene Lacoste showed such good tennis here this summer in the international tournaments that he is regarded as a real comer in cup tennis. Jean Borotra



Edna Parks, who will be seen in one of the season's best plays at the Opera House.

Prince Of Wales Holds No Grudge Against Nobody

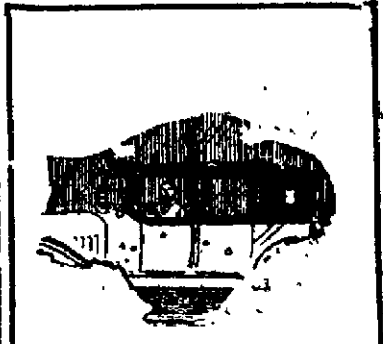
(By United Press)
NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—If the Prince of Wales holds anything against the United States as a result of his visit it probably will be a slight resentment against the kidding he got from the paragraphs and cartoonists about his horsemanship. The Prince probably would prefer to be handed the bird about anything but his riding, as it is his ranking passion and his greatest hobby.

The Prince, very likely, does not resent the good natured jesting about the numerous times he has taken the trip from the saddle to the turf, but the British subjects of his royal highness do take exception to any wise cracks about his horsemanship. The sentiment of his subjects was aptly put in words by one of the grooms attending the Prince's polo mounts at Meadowbrook. When asked why it was that the Prince fell off his mounts so many times, he replied with some emphasis: "His

highness does not fall off them, he falls with them."

When the writer was in London in June, he learned that the Prince was on the poor horseman that reports from the other side would have it appear in this country. Never have he been thrown from a polo pony contrary to general belief in this country.

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HOME DRESSMAKING

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Paris-Inspired Simplicity

corded piping. The skirt is gathered to the low-belted blouse and trimmed with the same fabric, which should be hand-torn, if one is to carry out the part of the French mode.

The diagram shows the corded piping and how to apply it. First cut the material on the bias making the cord twice as wide as it is to be when finished. Then sew a tack in the fold, making it just large enough to smoothly move the cord which is afterward to be inserted. Use a cable cord, threading it through the bias with a bodkin or with a safety pin in the absence of the former. Just catch the end of the safety pin through the cord and elasp the pin and run it through the bias. Fasten the ends so that the cord will not pull through.

To apply the piping, turn under the edge of the seam line and baste, then baste the piping along the edge of the seam, extending the piping just the width of the cord.

Challis seems to be growing in favor for elastic frocks. The fabric is soft and attractive and comes in a delightful range of colors and designs. Some unusually effective trimmings are featured in the mode, carried out in challis, such as, for instance, little wool balls on the sleeves skirt and shoulders. Pippings are also employed to accentuate the folds of the little flowers in the pattern.

Beautifully Designed Frocks for Girls

Interpreting to the last degree the charm, simplicity and the insouciance of youth of Paris mode, this frock lends itself to development in an unusually wide range of materials. It could not be more effective than as represented, however, in dark blue crepe de chine.

Inspired by all that is new in line and detail, this frock in heavy silk crepe de chine fits into the needs of the growing girl's wardrobe. It calls for two and seven-eighths yards of material 36 inches wide. The yoke is cut in one with the upper part of the kimono sleeves and put on with



28 Believed To Be Drowned In The Great Lakes

(By United Press)
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 29.—Wreckage of the steamer Clifton picked up in Lake Huron, over the week end confirmed the belief that the missing whaleback went to the bottom with its crew of 28 men.

Search for bodies was continued today.

The Clifton bound for Detroit from Sturgeon Bay, Wis., with a cargo of crushed stone is believed to have sunk last Monday off Goerich, during a sixty-mile gale.

Ice Cream Supper Planned at Shiloh By W. M. S. Friday

Rev. G. W. Kinchloe, pastor of the Mexia Methodist circuit, stated Monday afternoon that the Woman's Missionary Society of the church at Shiloh would hold an ice cream supper at Shiloh Friday night. The affair will be given on the church lawn and near the school building. The public is cordially invited. The Woman's Missionary Society of the Shiloh congregation has been doing some wonderful work with their small and active membership. Growth for the society during the next year is hoped for.

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SHANGHAI HEARS ROAR OF FIERCE BATTLE NEAR CITY MA FERGUSON DECLARED ELIGIBLE BY COURT

LEAGUE MAY CALL WORLD DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

ROUND THE WORLD FLIGHT COMPLETED; AVIATORS RESTING

(By United Press)
When the round-the-world flyers arrived at Seattle yesterday after a flight of approximately 28,000 miles completed in 175 days and five hours, another American achievement was added to the already long list of triumphs in aviation.

Other famous records established by American aviators include:
World speed record, Long Island, N. Y., 1923 by Lieut. A. J. Williams at 266.59 miles an hour.
Non-stop trans-continental flight,

Long Island to San Diego, May 2-3, 1923, by Lieutenants Kelly and MacReady in 26 hours, 50 minutes and three seconds.

World endurance record both for time and distance (refueled in mid-air) San Diego, Aug. 27-28, 1923, by Lieutenants Lowell Smith and J. Richter, 37 hours, 15 minutes 43.8 seconds, 3,293.26 miles.

Dawn to dusk trans-continental flight, New York to San Francisco, June 23, 1924 by Lieutenant R. L. Maughan, in 21 hours, 45 seconds.

Japs Threaten To Kill Plan By Negative Ballot

(By United Press)
GENEVA, Sept. 29.—Delegates worked desperately today to save the League of Nations protocol of arbitration and security, imperiled by Japan's insistence upon bringing the question of such problems as the American-Japanese exclusion act before the League.

The protocol, hailed as the greatest consecutive step towards world peace in the league's history, provides for a disarmament conference, if three of the four nations represented on the council endorse it.

Ambassador Adachi, Japan's representative, virtually has threatened opposition to the proposal unless their protocol's seventh article is revised and so worded that disputes "arising from questions of purely domestic jurisdiction" may be brought to the council.

The word immigration is not mentioned, but stripped of its verbiage and technicalities, the Japanese proposal means that Japan wants to carry its complaint against the United States to the League.

By so doing the Japanese deny the right of national sovereignty over domestic affairs when another nation is affected thereby.

The situation is grave because Japan, by a negative vote can kill the entire disarmament, arbitration and security project, but it is thought the Japanese may refrain from voting when the protocol comes up for the assembly's decision tomorrow.

Farm Irrigation Program of G. O. P. Called Murderous

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 29.—The republican farm irrigation stand was called "murderous" by Senator Burton K. Wheeler here today.

"To say that the way to cure over-production is to kill off a few farmers by stopping irrigation aid is nothing short of murderous," the independent vice-presidential candidate declared.

"And yet, that is just what Charles G. Dawes, the republican vice-presidential candidate promised in a recent speech. He said the farmers are producing too much and that his party proposed to readjust their economic ills by preventing further government expenditures for irrigation and reclamation projects in this great West.

"That, of course, would ruin the farmers of five Western states. 'The progressives will never permit such a step if they can prevent. We pledge our just and equitable aid to develop irrigation in our great West.'"

Wheeler chose the irrigation problem as the striking point of his series of speeches here. He avoided the Klan issue which was brought to the front by Democrats here who adopted a state platform denouncing the order by name.

La Follette's denunciation of the Klan is sufficient to answer all questions on the issue which he believes insignificant when compared to economic issues like farm relief and irrigation, Wheeler contends.

Dropping his role of fighting campaigner last night, Wheeler became a preacher of the Gospel and delivered a sermon on "peace" to the congregation of Grace Community Church here.

HOUSTON MAN COMES TO MEADOR STUDIOS

F. Y. Manuel of Houston arrived Sunday to begin his connection with the Meador's Studio. He is a photographer of state wide reputation, and an able man in his work, says Tom Meador, with whom he will be associated. He will move with his family here soon.

Railroad Clerk Made Telephone Head



JAMES S. McCULLOCH
Starting his business career at seventeen as a clerk on the West Shore Railroad, in Jersey City, N. Y., James S. McCulloch, of Rye, N. Y., at fifty-six, has been elected president of the New York Telephone Company, the largest of the Bell System, merged in the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

PANTHERS TIED WITH MEMPHIS IN SUNDAY'S STRUGGLE

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 29.—The Texas League champions, the Panthers, clashed with Memphis for leadership in the Dixie Series championship today. Fort Worth evened the score of the series to date by winning the Memphis visitors 7 to 3 in the Sunday game in which Clarence Kraft, Texas league Babe Ruth, drove in six runs with his three homers, setting a new Dixie Series batting record.

The locals also took the game Saturday on the home ground 11 to 3, featured by five home runs, after tying Memphis once and dropping two games in the east.

Joe Pate worked for the locals Sunday with Warmouth on the mound for eight innings for Memphis. McGrew replaced Warmouth in the eighth. Otto Metz was scheduled to go on the mound for Memphis here today with Ralph Head working for the Panthers.

The deciding game of the series will be played at Memphis probably tomorrow.

INVESTIGATION TO BE MADE OF MURDER OF FIVE

MANGUM, Ok., Sept. 29.—A coronor's inquest was to be held today into the death of Mrs. J. A. Mellon and her four children, found by their father Saturday night with their throats slashed.

Although authorities expressed belief Mrs. Mellon killed her four children and then took her own life, investigation will be made today for clues of murder.

The Mellons lived five miles south east of Mangum. According to authorities Mrs. Mellon showed signs of mental derangement some time ago. Several days ago she expressed fear of being murdered to her husband.

When Mellon returned from a trip to Mangum Saturday night he found his wife and the four children, Romaine, 11; Robert, 6; Dewey, 4; and Estelle 18-months-old, lying on the floor together with their throats slashed. Mrs. Mellon held a razor in her hand.

International Marines Told To Stand By Posts

(By United Press)
SHANGHAI, Sept. 29.—The fiercest battle in modern China's history is raging along the entire battle front near this city this afternoon. Both factions took the offensive at the opening of the day. Artillery, bombing planes and machine guns roaring steadily, casualties were listed as heavy. Stench of unburied bodies dead in the fighting the past few days, is drifting across the city, giving rise to fears of a plague.

American and other international marines were ordered to stay at their posts.

Kiangsu forces have launched a counter attack along the entire Shanghai front. Chekiang troops who gained ground in an unexpected attack Saturday, were beaten back and all positions were retaken, bringing the battle line nearer the city.

A heavy rainstorm broke over the battlefield, curtailing artillery operations when the battle was at its highest.

AUTO ACCIDENT IS FATAL AT FARMERSVILLE

(By United Press)
FARMERSVILLE, Texas, Sept. 26.—Clarence Thompson, 26, was instantly killed and two other persons seriously injured when their automobile skidded in gravel and overturned on the street here Sunday. The accident occurred when Thompson attempted to pass another machine.

Fourth Trail Of Man On Murder Charge Goes On

CONWAY, S. C., Sept. 29.—The fourth trial of Edmund Bigham, accused slayer of five members of his family, was resumed today in Horry county court here after several days recess caused by the death of a state witness who was stricken while on the stand.

Bigham, who has escaped the electric chair on three previous occasions when his attorneys made successful pleas for new trials, is being tried on the specific charge this time of murdering his brother, L. S. Bigham.

L. S. Bigham's body, with a revolver clamped in one hand, was found with the bodies of four other members of the Bigham family near the home at Florence, S. C., in January 1921. It was first believed by authorities that he killed the other four, then shot himself.

Later, however, Edmund Bigham was accused of wiping out the entire family, including besides his brother, his mother, a sister and the latter's two adopted boys.

Atlanta Golf Bugs Welcome Champion

(By United Press)
ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 29.—Bobby Jones, Atlanta's favorite son, and incidentally America's new amateur golf champion, was acclaimed by the home folks today.

More than a thousand admiring friends of the new title holder gave Bobby an immense ovation when his train arrived at the station here in a drenching rain.

Mrs. Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sr. were among the first to greet the young champion. Atlanta citizens and the local athletic club have arranged a round of receptions in Bobby's honor during the week.

THE WEATHER

(By United Press)
Texas—Fair and cooler.

NOTICE OF APPEAL GIVEN BY DICKSON AS RULING IS MADE

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 29.—"Ma" Ferguson, Democratic nominee for governor, is eligible to hold the office of governor, District Judge George Calhoun ruled in a decision handed down here this morning. Calhoun placed the stamp of approval on the woman candidate and other women to hold office under the state statutes and denied the petition asked to enjoin the placing of Mrs. Ferguson's name on the ballot in the general election. Calhoun held that the state constitution does not prohibit women holding office, and overruled the contention that the court is without jurisdiction in the case. Dickson gave notice of appeal.

Fight Starts On Hoof And Mouth Trouble In Texas

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 29.—With all agencies, federal, state, county and local, leagued together this morning and with Governor Pat Neff of Texas personally directing all activities, the fight against the hoof and mouth disease was launched in all Southeast Texas this morning.

First steps on the program of eradication of the disease, declared by Gov. Neff to have brought Texas face to face with the greatest crisis in the history of the State, will be the slaughter and burial of nearly two thousand head of condemned cattle, the property of Dr. William States Jacob, Thomas C. Dunn, Jr., and Perry McFaddin, prominent ranchmen.

The condemned cattle are all on the restricted area of 6500 acres, around which a cordon of guards have been placed since the disease was first discovered.

MAJOR IMBRIE'S BODY BROUGHT TO U. S. TODAY

(By United Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The U. S. Trenton, bearing the body of Major Robert W. Imbrie, late American Vice Consul at Tehran, Persia, who was slain by religious fanatics, docked at the Washington Navy Yard today.

Youth of 14 Confesses Murder.



ASBURY WESSINGER
Asbury Wessinger, a fourteen-year-old boy, of Columbia, S. C., has confessed murdering his aunt with an axe and attacking her three children, his cousins, children of one, three and four years of age. The babies were expected to die. The boy would give no reason for his crime.

(By United Press)
By the decision Judge Calhoun has approved the right of more than 200 office holding women, appointive and elective to state offices. Calhoun overruled the objection to the court's jurisdiction to pass upon the question at this time, as said the legislature is empowered, rule upon the eligibility after election. He further ruled that there is no prohibition in the law that prohibits a test being made of the right of a candidate to go on the ticket and that the court is within its rights by passing upon the injunction appeal.

The 19th amendment to the federal constitution granting suffrage, women also granted the right to hold office, according to the opinion Calhoun referred to other federal amendments in support of the opinion, particularly the 15th which gave full citizenship and the right to vote to the negro race.

Calhoun also pointed out that a amendment was rejected several years ago, which provided for male administration exclusively and declared that the intention was placed that women be not barred from holding office.

Thought She Was Joking—Mistaken

WAXAHACHIE, Sept. 29.—"You will die and go to hell if you open that trunk" was the challenge Lucille Owen, negress, gave Limps Love negro, when he attempted to divide the funds they had made picking cotton.

Limps was somewhat of a sport. Besides he thought Lucille was kidding him.

She wasn't. Physicians said if Lucille had slashed an inch lower it would have been curtains for him. He will recover. Lucille could not be located following the rumpus.

BROTHERS MEET DEATH WHEN TRAIN HITS TRUCK

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 29.—Juan Rodriguez, 19, and Faustino, 21, brother, were instantly killed when a truck in which they were riding was smashed by an International and Great Northern passenger train at a grade crossing near here this morning. The bodies were carried 100 feet on the pilot of the engine.

MAN SHOT FATALLY AT CORSICANA

CORSICANA, Texas, Sept. 29.—Joseph George, 26, was at liberty today under bond upon a charge of murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Robert Jones near here early Sunday. George claimed he fired in self-defense during an altercation.

VICTORY DAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUCCESS SUNDAY

"Victory Day" at the Baptist church, Sunday, was one of the biggest days that the church has had this year. Great crowds assembled for all services and the enlarged congregations showed the results of an extensive campaign put on by the officials and laymen, in which young and old engaged. The church has a goal set for 1,000 members in the near future. The congregation now numbers around 800, says the Pastor, Rev. Joe Jeffers who is deeply grateful to the membership for the help given in the campaign for the year.

WOMAN ADMITS GUILT TO TAR AND FEATHER CHARGE

(By United Press)
FREDERICK, Md., Sept. 29.—Mrs. Mary Shank created a sensation in court here when she pleaded guilty to a charge of tarring and feathering Dorothy Grandon, 20, of Martinsburg, W. Va., July 21 last. Mrs. Shank was the first of twenty-one persons indicted for the "tar and feather party," called for trial.

AUTO ACCIDENT KILLS KANSAS MAN

TOPEKA, Kas., Sept. 29.—George W. Long, 39, Kansas City, was killed and three other persons were injured when the automobile in which they were riding overturned near here Sunday.

PITTSBURG YOUNG MAN DRAGGED TO DEATH BY FREIGHT

PITTSBURG, Texas, Sept. 29.—Louis Hester, 29, was dragged to death beneath a Cotton Belt freight train during the night. The body was discovered after it had been dragged half a mile.

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Success In Retailing Proper Site A Factor

Even sunlight and shadows have their influence on buyers and must be considered in selecting a location for certain kinds of retail establishments, according to the Domestic Commerce Division of the Department of Commerce in "Retail Store Location," the second pamphlet of a series under preparation to help the American retailer overcome his more difficult business problems.

Proper store location is one of the most vital problems of retailing and upon its solution depends in a large part the success of the venture, the Domestic Commerce Division says. A good location is frequently a store's best asset while a poor location may be the cause of failure even when sound merchandising policies are practiced.

The loss to society of the wasted effort and capital of the many men who fail in the retail business is a real economic problem and is worthy of much research for preventive measures. It is believed that the securing of the proper location for the store is one measure that will obviate many of the casualties. The chain stores have led in this respect, and their achievements that show the practicability of the application of the factors in store location to actual business endeavor.

Sunlight is both good and bad, the Division points out in summarizing some of the many factors having bearing on the selection of a proper business site. There is nearly always a favored side of the street. Women to most of their shopping in the hottest part of the day and are naturally inclined to seek the shady side. The heat, light, and bright glare affect and even ruin some displays, although in certain trades the sunny side may be preferred. An analysis of sales may show that the largest business in some goods is done in the winter months, during which time the traffic may follow the sunlight. The rent is usually cheaper on the sunny side.

In considering a community the number and class of wage earners and permanency of the industries should be analyzed. Some industries are intermittent, creating during boom times a false impression of continued prosperity. The male dominates some cities such as Bridgeport, Hartford, Worcester, and Akron, while other communities are predominantly feminine such as Haverhill, Lynn, Lowell and Fall River.

Competition, the number and size of present stores, their financial strength, character of stock and service offered are some of the questions which should be examined in considering the market or trade territory. It need not be thought, however, that because competitors show apathy and small sales that there are no potential sales. It has been found frequently when a new and thrifty merchant enters the retail field that not only his business is successful, but also that the business of his competitors increases.

Some stores opened on street car lines thrive while others do not. Street cars coming from one district will bring a different class of trade from that brought by cars coming from another district. Customers with automobiles may prefer to go

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CHIEF FIGURES IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY



Above: GEN. WOOD & PREMIER HERRIOT
Below: MR. C.E. SAWYER & GASTON MEANS

Brig. Gen. Charles E. Sawyer, Officers' Reserve Corps, personal physician to the late President Harding, dropped dead of heart disease at his home, near Marion, Ohio. Gen. Leonard Wood, Governor-General of the Philippines, has declared the Volstead prohibition law does not affect the Philippines. Gaston B. Means, former detective for the Department of Justice, has disavowed his reputation of the famous testimony he gave against ex-Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty, declaring he gave the repudiation under pressure. Mme. Bigot Pemjean gave a loaded revolver to guards at the Presidential chateau at Rambouillet, France, and declared she had intended killing Premier Herriot but that he "looked too nice" to shoot.

to side streets to avoid the traffic and find parking space. Frequently of service and the fare of either street cars or bus lines have their effect.

Old tumble down structures, empty buildings, billboards, or other unattractive features often drive people to the other side of the street. Most women avoid smoke, noise, bad odors, or dust, and if one side of the street is more pleasant in any of these particulars, it will be preferred by pedestrians. Consequently, places near old successful stores may be of great value. Superstition also comes in for locations noted for a number of failures become known as "hoodooed."

Analysis of the passing traffic with regard to types of goods purveyed is essential. The actual volume of traffic may be analyzed by the hours of



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the day. Large crowds of working people hurrying to and from factories at times of opening and closing are not good customers for some types of goods. The hours at which traffic is heaviest are important as indicating the purpose on which it is bent. Women are more important to department stores and men to cigar stores. Drowsy and inefficient clerks are the usual result of poorly ventilated buildings, the pamphlet says in a paragraph devoted to store buildings and construction. In another paragraph entitled "relation to consumers' buying habits," the pamphlet asserts that is a well-recognized principle in marketing methods that all sound merchandising policies should start with a consideration of the consumer.

The pamphlet known as Trade Information Bulletin No. 269—RETAIL STORE LOCATION—may be obtained upon request to the Department of Commerce in Washington or upon application to any of the Department's offices in various cities. It was prepared under the direction of Laurence A. Hansen, formerly with the Boston Retail Trade Board and later managing director of the Massachusetts Retail Merchants Association. The data were gathered directly from prominent retailers all over the country, representing the co-ordinated opinions of the most progressive retail agencies and presenting an approach to the solution of a vital problem, according to A. H. Onthank, Chief, of the Domestic Commerce Division.

Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Morgan were Waco visitors Sunday.

Deaf Prisoner Took No Chances

(By United Press)
DALLAS, September 22.—"Wonder how long his roll would have held out?" was the query of court attaches after one Mexican pleaded guilty to three separate "calls" before he was halted by Judge P. D. Crawford.

The clerk sounded off a Mexican name and the prisoner arose, pleaded guilty, and was fined \$10.

Another Mexican name was called and again the man produced.

When he arose the third time, Judge Crawford halted proceedings. It developed that the prisoner was slightly deaf and was taking no chances of getting in bad with the law. One of the fines was remitted.

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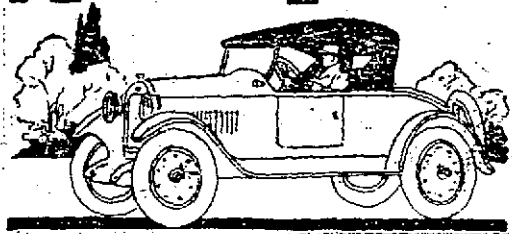
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JOHNSON OUT OF GAME

(By United Press)

BOSTON, Sept. 27.—Walter Johnson, premier pitcher for the Washington American League club, will be back in the game in a day or two, officials said here. Johnson was struck on the elbow by a pitched ball yesterday.

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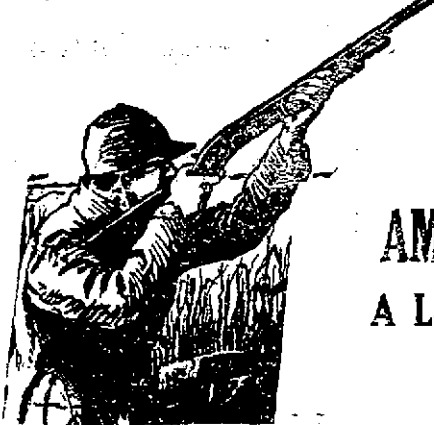
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DELPHIAN OPENS STUDY SEASON FOR ANOTHER YEAR

The Mexia Delphian Chapter will convene Wednesday, October the first, at four o'clock, at the home of Mrs. John Sweett, for the beginning of another year's work. The members are urged to come and enjoy this afternoon's musical program and hour of social fellowship. The Delphians will study Drama this year as provided in the year books, together with special programs suggested by the Federation of Women's Clubs. The year books will be distributed Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Sweett's. Mrs. W. B. Landrum is president for this year. She urges the attendance of each Delphian at this first meeting. Hereafter, the club will meet at three-thirty on the usual club days at the Mexia Public Library.

Oil Caravan Is Skidding

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—"Oil is not so well" with the Coolidge-Dawes motor caravan in its over-the-plain-to-the-oil fields tour. Judging from news reports from Philadelphia, the tourists received a rather "cheesy" reception in the city of Brotherly Love.

One of the features of the Philadelphia rally, which the caravan orators addressed, was the presentation of a flag to the tourists, the flag to be an emblem of Pennsylvania and to be carried by the tourists on the remainder of their "oily" way. The flag was presented to the caravan party by Mrs. Henry Hall Simmons, on behalf of the Republican City Committee of Philadelphia, of which she is Vice-Chairman.

It develops that the flag for the presentation was sent ahead to the Philadelphia women, by the caravan party, to be given back to them upon their arrival. The following from the Philadelphia Record's news column tells how the Republican ladies of Philadelphia felt about the flag:

"Mrs. Simmons, who made the presentation in behalf of the Republican organization, admitted she was somewhat 'dabbergasted' when confronted with what she described as 'an old piece of cheesecloth.' Nevertheless, she went through with her part of the program. It developed later that the cheesecloth flag was the property of the caravan, having been sent here in advance for presentation purposes by the transcontinental pilgrims.

"I was never so surprised in all my life as when I saw that old cheesecloth flag," said Mrs. Simmons. "If they had left it to us, we would have presented a nice silk flag, one that would have been an honor to the State as it was carried across the country."

"That's right," chimed in Mrs. O'.

Noted Automotive Engineer Lauds Daily Newspapers



Harrison Boyce

"Newspapers, particularly the smaller ones, speed American progress," said Harrison Boyce, the inventor of the motometer and boyco-ite, a fuel ingredient, which, it is said, is revolutionizing the oil industry by increasing gasoline mileage through carbon prevention. In a statement made before associates, advertising and newspaper men, Boyce declared that the medium and smaller newspapers collectively have a greater influence on American thought and progress than a few large papers in large cities.

"Together, the medium and smaller newspapers constitute the great mass of important newspaper circulation," said Boyce. "They are generally very carefully read, front to back, and have a strong and intimate personal interest for the reader."

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MASTER FORGERS' TRICKS EXPOSED

The "Perfect Forgery" Always Has a Weak Spot That Leads to Penman's Downfall.

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Bankers Working Together to Catch Crooks Who Cause Losses of \$150,000,000 With Bad Checks Yearly.

A bogus check scheme that was so original, sound and business-like that it became known in detective circles as "the one perfect forgery," but finally, like all of them, led to its own inventor being trapped, is described by Reuben A. Lewis, Jr., in the American Bankers Association Journal. The article which says forgeries cost the banks and business concerns at least \$150,000,000 a year, deals with the ways of forgers and the relentless warfare being conducted against them by the bankers.

"Crime does not pay," Mr. Lewis says. "Soon the law reaches out and seizes the misguided operator who thinks he can get away with it. For one of the peculiar things about the forger is that, while he may devise a clever scheme that brings a rich return on its initial trial, he continues to work it until caught.

"Fortunately, there appears to be a weak spot in the best laid scheme. And just as soon as this weak spot is uncovered, it is broadcast to all the banks in the land. So the banks, informed as to the method of approach that the forger will make, and the little peculiarities of the job, are on the alert to nab him when he makes his next reappearance.

The King of Forgers

"The 'master forger' is William Hamilton Harkins, probably the most dangerous operator known to the banking world. Several times in the toils of the law, Harkins has managed to escape. The daring 'king' of the forgers made a confession that he had defrauded banks of more than \$300,000 during the years of his career.

"His scheme follows a certain set pattern. The key to Harkins' plan is obtaining a blank check from the checkbook of a well known firm. Recently Harkins sauntered into the office of a granite dealer. He ordered a monument and tendered a check for a substantial part of the memorial. He requested the proprietor of the store to permit him to dash off a letter to his folks at home. Seizing a propitious moment, Harkins spotted his checkbook, noted the exact balance, tore out a sheet of checks and disappeared.

"Reproducing the proprietor's signature, Harkins drew up a sizeable check. On the reverse side he in-

scribed his alias as the payee and then added after 'O. K.' the facsimile of the depositor's signature. This acted as an identification endorsement, so when he presented the check at the bank it was readily cashed.

The Weak Spot

"The weak spot in Harkins' scheme is the identification endorsement. It is the teller, before cashing any check bearing this alleged endorsement, telephoned to the depositor and checked up on its issuance, the scheme would have short shrift."

Banks throughout the country have been put on guard against Harkins and his plan and it is believed he cannot operate long without again falling into the net. The scheme that was pronounced unbeatable was devised by a forger known as F. Mayer and centered around the certified check fraud. Mr. Lewis says, continuing:

"F. Mayer would open accounts with four or five banks in a sizeable city. The largest account ran around \$5,000. By kiting checks back and forth between the several banks he would establish his identity with the tellers and become known as a man accustomed to deal in large figures.

"After conducting these preliminaries for a few weeks, Mayer would go to the bank where he had his largest account and ask that a certified check be issued to him for substantially all of the money remaining to his credit. From the genuine check he would make four or five duplicates.

"In turn, Mayer would visit the other banks, where he had established small accounts. Inasmuch as he had cashed checks for some time, Mayer generally had little trouble in getting the banks to honor the certified checks. If a teller took the precaution of calling the issuing bank on the telephone to inquire if it had made out such a certified check, he would gain confirmation.

The Forger Caught

"But even the 'perfect' forgery scheme cannot be worked with impunity. Mayer succeeded in defrauding Kansas City banks out of \$27,000 and made his escape. A few months later he was walking down the streets of Los Angeles when a teller who had honored one of the bogus checks in the middle western city recognized him. Mayer took to his heels with the former teller in hot pursuit, and the criminal lost."

The losses sustained through forgeries by banks may be mainly attributed to the failure of the tellers to observe the rules against cashing checks for strangers or allowing depositors to draw on uncollected items.

"A relentless, sustained hunt is conducted to apprehend the forgers. The new twists, the variations in the methods, the latest ruses used are followed by the detectives. The modes of operation are broadcast throughout the country," the article declares. "The American Bankers Association alone, through its Protective Division, spends more than \$100,000 a year to check depositions against banks."

Brien, head of the State organization's Speakers' Bureau. "We had nothing to do with it. A member of the caravan came here with it the day before yesterday and I gave it to Mr. Davis with my own hands." She was referring to Harry Davis, executive Secretary of the City Committee.

According to the Recorder's reporter, the meeting was "rather cheesy." But that is not surprising, because it rained slightly, and of

course oil and water won't mix, so how could an oil caravan make a success of a rainy day? The attendance at the Philadelphia rally was less than 200.

One of the speakers with the caravan is former Representative Jefferies, of Nebraska, and he it was who "accepted" the "cheesecloth" flag which his party had forwarded ahead to Philadelphia for the presentation ceremony, and promised to carry the

flag across the continent, also in the parade on Pennsylvania avenue at the inauguration of President Coolidge.

Another speaker with the caravan was Herbert L. Moore, of Plymouth, Vt., birthplace of President Coolidge, who told his auditors that "Plymouth is an isolated hamlet with four farms, a general store, a cheese factory and twenty-nine permanent inhabitants." Cheese-making being the principal industry at Plymouth, after all the "cheesecloth flag" was quite appropriate to the occasion. Besides, the Fordney-McCumber tariff bill taxes flags so heavily the caravan probably couldn't afford better than one made of cheesecloth.

Another speaker at the Philadelphia rally was Mrs. Hannah Durham, Vice-Chairman of the Pennsylvania Republican State Committee. Mrs. Durham lauded Pennsylvania's own Pittsburgh's millionaire, Secretary Mellon, endorsed his tax plan and declared that although the administration was checked at every turn by a "balky Congress," it "did succeed in reducing taxes from \$250 a year to \$140 a year for the average family." Mrs. Durham neglected to add that the bill which reduced taxes was passed over the violent opposition of Secretary Mellon and President Coolidge. It is also of interest to observe that the income of a family paying a tax of \$140 a year is approximately \$8,000. That may be the type of "average income," Mrs. Durham and Mr. Mellon are concerned about, but the average income of the average American family is far under \$1,000 a year, and Mr. Mellon wouldn't have helped that family a particle.

From the People

COTTON REPORT

There were 22,055 bales of cotton ginned in Limestone County from the crop 1924 prior to September 16th.

There is no comparison made with last year's ginning at this date due to a change in time for making reports.—TOM L. COX, special agent.

Miss Velma Wallace left Sunday afternoon for Georgetown, where she will enter Southwestern University.

NOTICE

Owing to a break in the main line from Springfield, which was temporarily repaired this morning, the water will be shut off from 8 p. m., Monday, Sept. 23rd, until 2 a. m. Tuesday morning. Conserve your water supply and be careful of fires.
R. D. MORGAN, R-29-1

A. & M. Has Largest Enrollment This Year

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, September 23.—The A. & M. College of Texas has begun its year's work with a student body nearly 200 larger than any previous one. Although there is a heavy burden of disciplinary work

on the officials of the College due to the crowded dormitory conditions, a successful year is anticipated. The enrollment is 2130. Military drill was held this week for the first time with an army of cadets numbering 1900.

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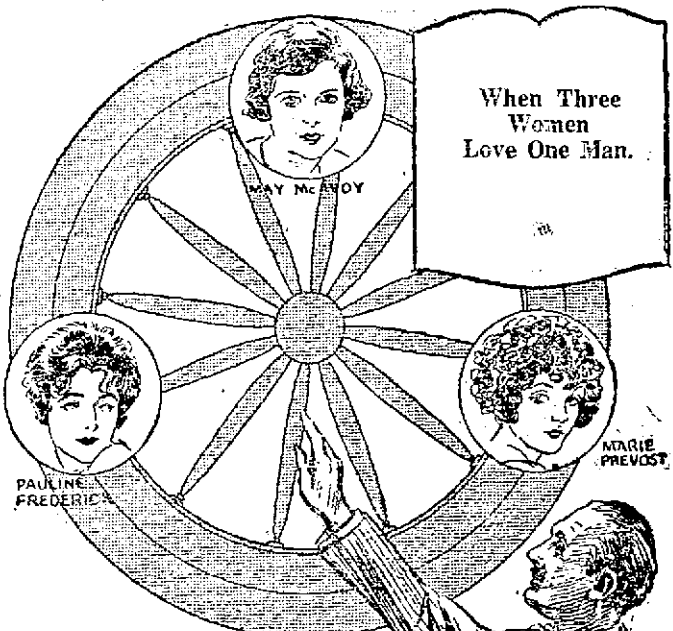
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THE MORGUE OF FAILURES!

The Department of Commerce and Labor, after a thorough survey of business failures, ascribes the cause of a very large percentage to poor judgment and lack of good management.

If the same kind of survey was to be made to discover the reasons for failures in the agricultural industry of the country, the same answer could be given. There are thousands engaged in agriculture who make it an occupation rather than a business. They have no objective; no plan to work out; no idea of demand or supply or of market conditions. They have learned to plow, to plant, and to harvest in a sort of way, and to sell to the first person making them an offer. The question of improving the fertility of the soil to increase acre yield is never given consideration. They have learned to grow one crop and continue to grow it in ever-decreasing acre quantities from year to year, hoping against hope that they will be great enough and the price high enough to pay the year's accumulation of debts at the bank and at the stores.

The Department of Commerce report says that manufacturers and merchants are beginning to realize that business is a science and that it is necessary to utilize many of the new methods which are being adopted in the entire field of industry.

Successful farmers also realize that their business is based on science and that scientific methods are demanded in their production, marketing, and management. Those who scoff at what they term "book" farming, "scientific methods", etc., are listed among the failures if they practice what they preach.

—Farm and Ranch.

BRINGING DOWN BOLL WEEVIL

The most effective measure to be taken by farmers of Texas to rid themselves of the disastrous boll weevil is the destruction of cotton stalks and other material growing in the fields on which it may feed before the insect goes into hibernation about the time of the first frost. This can be done by cutting of stalk and plowing the remains under. The same process will also greatly reduce the next year menace of the boll-worm, webworm and cutworm and is also the proper means to be taken for destroying living roots underground which may perpetuate the awful cotton root rot. In other words one stroke of the plow at this season may save hundreds of costly strokes with poisoning machines next summer and also preserve a large percentage of the crop that would be wasted in spite of all delayed preventative measures. For this reason the Extension Service of the A. & M. College of Texas is working strenuously to set in motion all over Texas a regular campaign for fall plowing. The dead line for concluding this work as calculated by the specialists from official charts on past frost dates is December 1 in the Rio Grande Valley, about November 15 at College Station, and October 28 at Denton. A county farm agent and demonstrator for Limestone county would encourage the farmers to join heartily together in this state wide effort to help the farmers, the backbone of the country. However, there will be many in Limestone who will heed the suggestion, see the wisdom of the campaign and join in the general movement.

The statistics regarding the number of divorces in Texas and those showing the great number of domestic feuds in Limestone county, recently published, is a subject of concern to all men and women who are concerned over the public weal. Just why Limestone county should have so many divorce suits is a question? Of course there are some contributory causes and Mexia will have to bear the burden of criticism in this respect. The discovery of oil brought many to Mexia and the experience of men failed to increase the wealth of the newcomer but added to his trouble at home. Both the man and the woman were to blame in many cases.

The man or woman, organization or club that can point

out the real trouble and indicate some way of improving the situation should be entitled to a unanimous vote of thanks by the county. Yet, Limestone county people are just as good people as can be found anywhere else, and probably average better.

Now is the time to make a successful fight on the boll weevil. The long drouth and hot weather materially lessened the number of weevils in the cotton fields. Fewer will go into winter quarters than last year, but unless that number is greatly decreased by a systematic clean-up campaign, enough will survive to again become a serious menace next season.

It was last Friday a week ago that William Allen White started to file petitions placing his name in nomination for the governorship of Kansas. On second thought, he decided to wait until Saturday. Of course, he knew that there is nothing to the superstition about Friday being an unlucky day but at the same time thought he had better not take a chance. That is the way of a good many of us are about superstitions.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

COTTON.

(Guaranty Survey)

"One of the most encouraging of recent business developments is the improvement in the outlook for the cotton textile industry. For more than a year the manufacturers of cotton goods have been facing an exceptionally severe depression, the effects of which have been felt in many other branches of industry and trade.

"Among the obstacles to the even and continuous revival of business since 1921 has been the lack of balance between economic groups, due to the fact that certain basic industries have been seriously embarrassed by special conditions which have prevented them from swinging into line in any general upward movement. A conspicuous example is the cotton textile industry, in which the factor of primary importance has been a succession of short crops, with steadily diminishing stock and rising prices for the raw material. This is the exact reverse of situation which has been causing trouble in several agricultural lines, and its principal reaction has been upon the manufacturing rather than upon the agricultural branch of the industry.

"If the economic position of the cotton farmer had been similar to that of the wheat grower or ranchman, the short crops would have caused a depression in the cotton belt, just as low wheat prices caused a depression in the wheat belt. Cotton, like wheat, is a world crop, and the price is a world price. But the cotton farmer is in a peculiarly advantageous position, due to the fact that American cotton constitutes so large a proportion of the world's supply that it virtually dominates the market. For many years the American crop has invariably represented more than half of the world's production. The relative price, therefore, tends to move inversely with the size of the domestic output, short crops being offset by high prices.

"The average relative price has been rising steadily since 1920, while stocks have regularly diminished year by year. Talk of a 'cotton famine'

has been heard with increasing frequency, and it appears that another short crop this year would have been virtually sufficient to bring about such a situation.

"Hand-to-Mouth" Buying Policies.

"Combined with the decreasing stocks and rising prices of the raw material has been a radical change in the buying policy of distributors of cotton goods. 'Hand-to-mouth' buying has become the almost invariable rule. Although the same tendency has been apparent in many other lines, it has not generally gone to such lengths, or entailed such serious difficulties, as in cotton textiles. Its effect has been to shift to the manufacturers the burden of carrying and financing the stocks which would ordinarily have been held by wholesale and retail distributors—a burden which the manufacturers were not in a position to assume. The efforts of producers to relieve themselves of these excessive inventories have prevented the prices of finished goods from coming into alignment with the price of raw cotton. This price weakness has in turn served to intensify the cautious attitude of wholesale and retail dealers.

"The price disparity clearly represents an anomalous situation, which cannot continue indefinitely. It has, in fact, already set in motion the forces which would ultimately bring about its correction. Cotton manufacturing has for many concerns become, for the time being, unprofitable, and the activity of textile mills has declined. The domestic consumption of raw cotton decreased steadily from February to July, reaching the lowest point since December, 1920. During the year ended July 31, the total consumption was 5,669,000 bales, as compared with 6,065,000 bales in the preceding year; and in the last six months of that period the total was only 2,582,000 bales, as against 3,037,000 in the first six months. In course of time the reduced supply of fabrics and the lack of demand for raw cotton resulting from curtailed activity would necessarily bring the prices of the two commodities into a

more natural relationship.

Favorable Crop Outlook.

"Obviously, however, this readjustment could be effected only at the cost of diminished production (and therefore diminished consumption), great financial loss, and disaster to some concerns. It now appears that such a process may be made unnecessary by the harvesting of a large cotton crop this year. Although the trade has been reluctant throughout the season to accept the more optimistic reports, it is now generally agreed that the crop has come thru in better condition than at first seemed possible.

"The period of possible serious damage to the growing crop has virtually passed, and the latest official report, based on condition September 16, forecasts a harvest of 12,595,000 bales. Most private estimates are considerably above that figure. It is fairly certain that this year's crop will be easily the largest since 1920, and larger than any other since the record crop of 1914.

Improved Price Situation.

"The price of raw cotton, in response to continued good crop reports, has declined this month to new low points for the year. Cotton goods prices have shown some weakness in sympathy with the lower quotations for the raw material, but the decline has been much less pronounced than that of raw cotton. The net result has been a material improvement in the price situation, with a prospect for further improvement if present estimates of yield prove to be substantially correct.

"A measure of relief has already been experienced by manufacturers as a result of more active buying and of the improved price situation. The consumption of raw cotton last month was slightly greater than in July, and the activity of spindles also showed a small increase. Some Southern mills have recently resumed full-time operations after having been on reduced schedules during the spring and summer, and a few are reported to be

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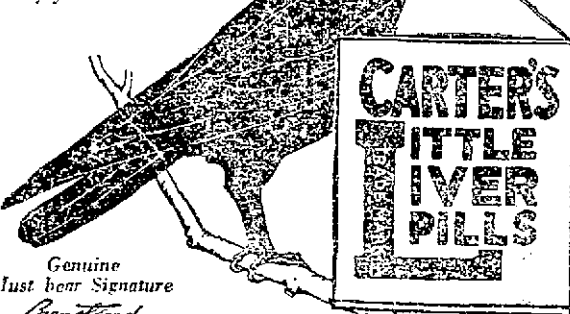
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12 Additions At First Christian Revival Sunday

CHILDREN'S DRILL TO BE PRESENTED WEDNESDAY NITE

Sunday was another wonderful day in the Vawter evangelistic meeting at the First Christian church. The day began with a rousing Bible school session. A picture was taken of the entire school. The contest closed between the Greens and Reds leaving the Greens winners. Dr. Vawter preached from the subject, "Why we commune every Sunday." Miss Reaves sang My Mother's Bible, with an accompaniment played on the Organ chimes. The church was packed at the evening service.

Dr. Vawter's sermon was on "The Name, or Why We are Christians Only." "We believe there are Christians in all churches," said the evangelist, "and we are pleading that they drop all human names, and call themselves Christians only. If we did not think there were Christians in other churches, we would stop preaching Christian unity. What would be the use of preaching unity if we had all the Christians already? We believe there are Christians in all churches. In fact we don't believe they are all Christians in our own church."

The song service was especially enjoyable last night, as was also the special number on the Chimes "Whispering Hope," played by Miss Reaves and Mr. House, and sang by Miss Reaves. In response to numerous requests, Miss Reaves also sang the Holy City. There were twelve additions during the day.

As an expression of the good-will and esteem which is felt by the people of Mexia for the evangelistic party, between six and seven hundred dollars was quickly subscribed at the evening service for the party.

The children's Bible drill class will meet every evening after school. The public drill will be given on Wednesday night at the regular services. Services each evening at 7:15.

Dr. Vawter shows stereopticon pictures for fifteen minutes at the beginning of each service, and the regular service begins at 7:30.

Limestone Farmers To Attend Fair On Farm Bureau Day

Farmers of Texas, particularly cotton growers of the State, have been invited to attend the State Fair of Texas on October 16th by John T. Orr, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association. State Fair officials have designated this day as Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association Day and special programs have been arranged which will be of particular interest to the farmers of the State.

"Not only will the farmers have an opportunity of seeing the Fair, but they will have an opportunity of hearing Aaron Sapiro, nationally known authority on cooperative marketing associations and responsible for the plan upon which the most successful ones in the country are now operating," Mr. Orr said. "Among these is the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association which he was instrumental in organizing, and for which he is still the legal advisor. It is a well known fact that Mr. Sapiro is perhaps better known to the farmers of this country than any one other man, and

New Jersey May Send Woman to Congress.



Mrs. Mary T. Norton

Mrs. Mary T. Norton won the Democratic nomination in the Twelfth Congressional District for New Jersey in the primaries. Her district is normally Democratic, so she is likely to be the first woman from the East to sit in Congress. Her home is in Jersey City, N. J.

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY



From Mrs. Florence Knapp & Anna Gould Below: Bishop T. F. Gailor & Dr. Charles W. Eliot

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard University, has accepted the chairmanship of the John W. Davis College League. Returning from a European tour, Bishop T. F. Gailor, of Tennessee, championed the modern girl as the equal of the girl of the past. Mrs. Florence E. Knapp, of Syracuse, N. Y., has been nominated by the Republican party for Secretary of State. It took Paris dressmakers ten years to collect \$5,500,000 from the Duchess de Talleyrand, formerly Anna Gould, daughter of the late Jay Gould and divorced wife of Count Boni de Castellane, her counsel declared in a lawyers' council arranging settlement of the \$2,000,000 Gould estate.

farmers and business men of the State will truly be denying themselves if they fail to hear Mr. Sapiro, while he is here during the State Fair of Texas on Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association Day. He will have a particular message to the farmers of Texas.

Quite a number of farmers of this county will attend the Fair on that date. The Farm Bureau has won quite a number of members this year in Limestone County who keep closely in touch with the work.

Zoning Number Is Issued By Texas Municipal League

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 29.—"Zoning number" is the descriptive title given to the last issue of the Texas Municipalities, a magazine published bi-monthly by the League of Texas Municipalities, at Austin.

Among the articles of chief inter-

est is one by E. A. Wood, city plan engineer, Dallas, on the subject of Building Cities by Blue Print. According to opinions given in his article, the time has come when official city planning commissions must be made a part of every progressive city government in the state.

Miss Frances Scarbrough of San Antonio, formerly research assistant in the Bureau of Government Research, has contributed an article on Texas Tourist Camp Problems. Research, has contributed an article on Texas Tourist Camp Problems and their solutions.

Diesel engines will pay dividends to taxpayers is the title of an argument presented by J. H. Lucke of Dallas, who says that only two types of engines are practical for municipal plants in Texas, these being the Diesel, an internal oil combustion engine, and steam engines, using oil as fuel.

F. M. Echols, Mayor of Whitewright, has written an interesting article on "Whitewright a Model of Governmental Efficiency." Although

a town of less than 2,000 population, it is stated that Whitewright has virtually the City Manager form of Government by making the mayor full-time supervisor of practically all departments of the city's government.

The Problem of Collecting Delinquent Taxes is the subject of an article by E. V. Brown, city attorney of Texarkana. Delinquent tax payers have too much protection under the law of Texas, cities too little thinks this attorney, and the surest cure for this yearly recurring problem is a simplification of laws on the subject.

A. & M. Animals Win All Prizes At Show

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, September 29.—The A. & M. College herd of dairy animals won 14 first prizes, all championship, highest awards on Jerseys, Guernseys and Holsteins at the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo the past week. The herd will next be shown at Wichita Falls, Dallas and Waco. The prize money won at Amarillo was sufficient to pay all expenses incident to taking the animals the long distance.

Ennis To Vote on Paving Bonds

(By United Press) ENNIS, September 29.—Ennis residents will ballot October 21 upon a \$75,000 paving bond issue, according to a decision by the city commission. Under existing contracts with paving material companies, the amount would enable Ennis to have some of the finest streets for its size in the state.

Brazilian Troops Defeated in Skirmish

(By United Press) BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 26.—Brazilian Government troops in the State of Parana were defeated and routed in battle with revolutionaries who have declared their independence, according to dispatches received here today.

The news means that the Brazilian



By JEANNE BOLAND (Copyright 1924 by Pat-Art Service, Inc.)

Youthful Style Streaming Drapery



There is sufficient variety in youthful styles to please everyone, and the grown-up fashions are always adapted to junior needs with discretion and charm. The apron drapery on this dress may be omitted, if preferred.

The young girl who likes something different as well as her older sister, will be attracted greatly by this frock of printed georgette crepe designed for formal wear. It is trimmed with grosgrain ribbon, formed into fanciful rosettes for the belt, and with plain satin crepe, which is used to bind the scalloped edges of the apron, the collar and the cuffs of the skirt, and kimono sleeves. For 8 or 10 year size the dress

calls for three yards of georgette, 36 inches wide, one-half yard of satin crepe and seven yards of ribbon.

In the two figures given, the dressmaker is shown how to fashion the belt. First a piece of ribbon eight inches long is plaited. Then it is run with a thread and drawn together at the center (Fig. I). If the rosettes are desired larger, make the first strip of ribbon longer before it is plaited. Then take another piece of ribbon for the belt and run it through the wheels formed by plaiting and gathering the shorter strips of ribbon. Tie in the back or arrange the ends in any desired way after the belt is adjusted to the front and sides of the dress.

The printed materials featured in the development of youthful fashions are unusually interesting and attractive this season. Voltes take inspiration from the peasant frocks

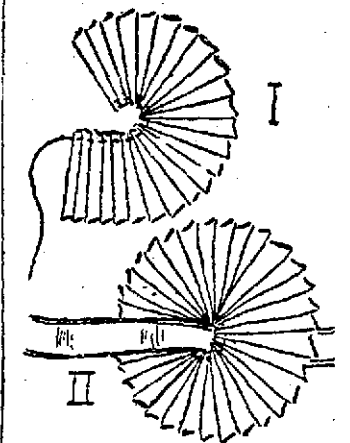


Fig. I.—Plaited ribbon gathered in center.

Fig. II.—Belt run through ribbon wheels.

of central Europe, refining the colors of the embroidery to blend with the more delicate pastel shades employed in developing them. Crepes are colorful and challis are distinguished for their novelty both of design and color harmony.

revolution, thought to have been suppressed, has flared up again. Revolutionary officers with an unknown number of followers struck at the Government in Parana, a state of more than half a million popu-

Russian Ban On Radio Receiving Sets Is Lifted

MOSCOW, Sept. 29.—The Soviet Government has finally recognized the public interest in radio, and is now granting permission to private individuals to have their own receiving sets to pick up broadcasting.

A special decree, however, forbids private individuals picking up Government matter or information intended for the press, or matter coming from wireless stations in foreign lands.

Licenses are demanded for all receiving sets, and private individuals will be charged a fee of \$5 a year, while workmen will be charged only fifty cents yearly.

VELVIS GRAHAM RESTS WELL AFTER INJURY

Velvis Graham, messenger boy for the Western Union Telegraph Company, who was run over and seriously injured late Saturday afternoon by an automobile at the corner of Main and Belknap is reported resting well today. He is at the Brown Hospital.

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tion. They proclaimed it an independent state, giving it the name of Brazilenda.

According to a revolutionary manifesto, the new state includes the Southern part of Matto Grosso, as well as part of Parana.

The manifesto was signed by Generals Diaz Lopez and Juan Francisco and Colonels Bernardo Padilha and Miguel Costa, who were prominent in the Sao Paulo revolt.

The rebels scored at least one decisive victory over the loyal troops.

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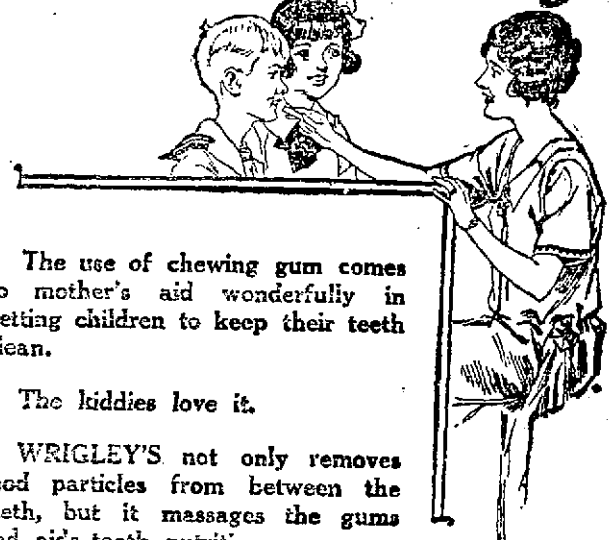
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A.&M. Students Return From National Matches

COLLEGE STATION Texas, September 29.—Three students of the A. & M. College of Texas have returned to the College from the national rifle matches held at Camp Perry, Ohio, from September 1 to 20. They were on the eight corps area team and won their place by virtue of making the highest grades in the summer training camp held at Fort Sam Houston. They were given a three weeks' intensive course in rifle firing and participated in two days of competition.

World Series Heroes

(By United Press)
1919—Walter Ruethe, Red pitcher by his batting, and Eddie Roush, Red center fielder, by his fielding were the big factors in most of the defeats of the White Sox.
1920—Elmer Smith, Cleveland right fielder, hit a home run with the bases full, the first time in world's series history. Bill Wambegans, Cleveland second baseman, completed a triple play unassisted.
1921—Jess Barnes, regarded as the "pail bearer" of the Giants' pitching staff, relieved Toney twice after he had been knocked out of the box and won both games.
1922—Jack Scott, released unconditionally by the Cincinnati Reds for having an incurable arm, and picked up by McGraw, turned the big hero of the series when he let the Yanks down with four hits in the third game and won for the Giants by a score of 3 to 0.
1923—Bob Meusel was the conspicuous hero of the 1923 world's series. With the bases filled in the eighth inning of the last game, Babe Ruth was fanned by Bill Ryan. Meusel then came up and rapped a single to center field scoring Haines and Johnson. Cunningham made a wild throw into the dugout and Dugan scored and Meusel went to third. Meusel's single, it turned out, won the game and the series. Casey Stengel, winning two games with home runs, was the big Giant hero.
Last year's world's series between the Yankees and the Giants was made noteworthy by its tremendous financial success, more than by any record breaking performances on the field.
For the first time, due to the immense stadiums that were available in New York, the series went into the million dollar class. The total attendance for the six games was \$301,430 and the receipts \$1,063,615. The reward for the players was more than it had ever been dreamed of twenty years ago. The Yankee's players got \$6,143 each as their share while the defeated Giant players drew down \$4,112. The series made a new record for receipts at a single game when the third and fifth games drew more than \$201,000.

It has been many a day since Mexia has seen such a gala day as was evident here Saturday. Everybody has the football spirit after seeing the nip-and-tuck battle between two evenly matched teams, it was a rare football treat for the opening season.

Joe Potter, the Wildcat Captain, has a well educated toe, few class A college eleven's could have out booted him in that game. It is true that the wind was in his favor part of the time, but he made many nice kicks against the wind in the last half.

Although Allday, the little Wesley halfback, did not do so well in the punting duel, he more than made up in his continual pounding at the line. His twenty-two yard run for a touchdown was not a fluke but a good clean right end run, in the last quarter.

On the visiting squad, Bowman, captain of the fighting Methodists, played a wonderful steady game at left tackle, although not so spectacular as some of his team mates.

Spectators thought that McCarty the Wesley quarter would surely yell his lungs out before the first half was over. His signals could be heard almost the entire length of the field but when the final whistle

blew he was still barking as strong as ever.

Our own Dutch Cox was up to his star'ard and was hitting the enemy li... so hard that he must have jarred all their teeth loose. Dutch is about fifteen pounds heavier than he was last season and is as hard to move off his feet as a ton of brick.

Coach Chas. Lewis has received many high compliments on the fine condition of his team in so short a length of time. The Greenville paper admits that formerly the Westminster squad was used as a practice game. Well, they got enough practice Saturday to last them a few weeks.

At the beginning of the game it looked as if the Wildcats were going straight down the field for a touchdown; they made continual first down and soon got into dangerous territory where they lost the ball on a fumble.

There was not a man on the field who offered more resistance than did big Tom Battie, the 235 pound guard in the Wildcat line.

Not a better pair could have been picked for officials of the game than "Country" Williamson, former Baylor captain and star, as referee, and high school coach, Potet umpire.

Everybody is anxious to see what kind of a football team "Country" Williamson is going to put out at Mart this season. This is his first year as a coach, and we will get a chance to see his team in action here on Thanksgiving day when the clash with the Black Cats.

The Southwestern conference teams all lack the early season punch. Perhaps it is due to the weather. It will take them about two more games to get down to the proper stride. They should go in good condition by the time of the State Fair starting on the 11th of this month.

Rice is still an unknown quantity, as they have not made their initial bow into the 1924 season. But John W. Heisman, the head coach, with the million dollar reputation, is not going to leave anything undone that will enable him to win the championship of the Southwestern Conference.

In the write up of the game Saturday, reference was made to the score in 1923 between Westminster and Wesley. Wesley won that game 78 to zero instead of 7 to 0. Wesley, with a strong team this year, probably stronger than last, came this year to face a team that had been whipped into fighting shape by Coach Lewis and was a formidable foe on the gridiron Saturday. The game was won by Wesley by a lone touch down, the only score of the game.

The next game that Westminster plays is to be at Tehuacana. Here's hoping that the fine fellows who wear the blue from the hill will bring another game to Nowlin field.

It was a pretty good gate Saturday.

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	P	W	L	Pct
Texas A. & M.	2	2	0	1000
Texas University	1	1	0	1000
Baylor	1	1	0	1000
S. M. U.	1	1	0	1000
T. C. U.	1	1	0	1000
Okl. A. & M.	1	1	0	1000
Rice	0	0	0	000
Arkansas	0	0	0	000

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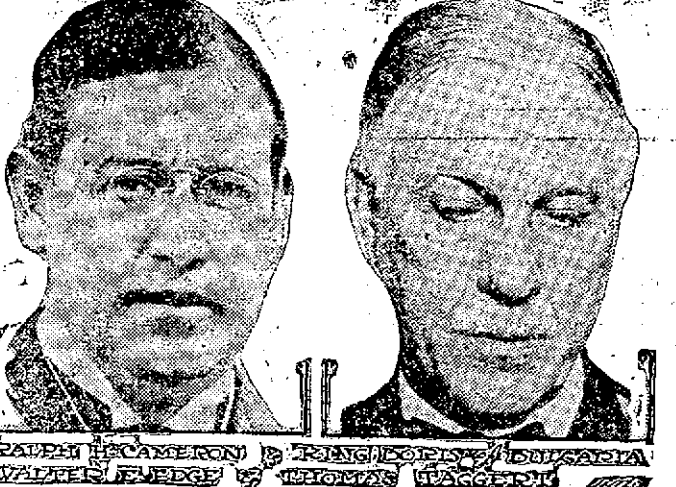
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IMPORTANT FIGURES IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY.



Thomas Taggart, veteran Democratic leader of the State of Indiana, is seriously ill at his summer home in Hyannisport, Mass. The Bulgarian Embassy in Paris has issued an official denial to the emphatic rumors that have spread in Europe that King Boris has been the "drys," has been renominated by the Republican party in New Jersey over National Committeeman H. F. Kean. United States Senator Ralph H. Cameron, of Arizona, has been peremptorily ordered by the Courts in Phoenix to remove his Cape Horn Lodge mine from the Bright Angel Trail, which is declared to be Government property.

SPORT TABLOIDS.

MILAN, Italy.—Ermino Spalla retained the heavyweight championship of Europe by outpointing Piet Vandervor of Holland in a 20-round bout.

NEW YORK. — Willie Hoppe, world's billiard champion and Eric Hagenbacher, champion of Germany, have signed for a 200 point match at three cushion billiards to be played Oct. 6 and 7.

PRINCETON, N. J.—Ralph Gorman, "Bruno" Hills of Washington, has been elected captain of next year's track team at Princeton. Hills has been a member of the last two Olympic squads and placed third in the shot put at the Paris games.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Boyd and son, George, were Waco visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boyd, and baby, Walter Kline, Jr., are visiting relatives in Terrell since Saturday.

urday, even if the business men and their employees could not turn out. A game here Friday or any other day but Saturday would win a much bigger crowd.

Westminster should win every game on her schedule from now on. Her hardest game, no doubt, was her first.

G. A. Walters Attorney at Law Office over Farmers State Bank Notary Public

THE SCOREBOARD

(By United Press)
Yesterday's hero—Dazzy Vance, the ace Brooklyn hurler, who won his 28th victory of the season, enabled the Robins to close the season with a 6 to 1 win over the Boston Braves.
Now that it doesn't count the forlorn Phillies turned on the Giants and batted their way to a 11 to 6 triumph over the National League champions.
The Cardinals ended their season with an even break in a double-header with the Reds. Rhem held the Reds to seven hits in the first game which St. Louis took 9 to 3. Benton hurled the Reds to an 8 to 2 victory in the second.
Tigers and the White Sox battled to a 10-10 tie, the game being called in the tenth inning on account of darkness.
Chicago trounced Pittsburgh 7 to 2, the defeat costing the Pirates any chance of second place in the National League race.
Yesterday's Home Run Hitters
Williams, Phillies, 1—24.
Harper, Phillies, 1—16.
O'Connell, Giants, 1—2.
Thomas, Braves, 1—1.

Home Run Leaders

	1924	1923
Ruth, Yankees	46	38
Fournier, Robins	27	21
Hauser, Athletics	27	17
Hornsby, Cardinals	25	17
Williams, Phillies	24	38
Kelly, Giants	21	16

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Midnight Golf Is Hollywood Vogue

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 29.—Midnight golf is the latest innovation in Hollywood.
The public won't believe it, but movie stars don't find time to play golf in daylight hours, and have to resort to a moonlighted course.
With balls, hole sticks and other paraphernalia of the links covered with a phosphorous paint, and electric lights taking the place of flags at the holes, some excellent scores have been made over the Wilshire course here.
Helene Chadwick, Tony Moreno, Dorothy Mackaill, Pat O'Malley and Bessie Love are the leading night players.
Owen Moore is conceded to be the best golfer, day or night, among the picture folk.
Bryant Washburn and T. Roy Barnes are runners-up.
Larry Semon plays the game and owns more than 150 clubs.

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ZR3 TO START FOR AMERICA NEXT WEEK

(By United Press)
BERLIN, Sept. 27.—The ZR3 may start for America next week, if the weather is favorable.
The Giant Zeppelin which is to be flown across the Atlantic and delivered to the United States as a spoils of war, came through her long 34-hour test with flying colors and is ready for the flight.
Her commander, Captain Eckner, will not gamble, however, but will start only when reports indicate the voyage can be made in perfect safety.
A preliminary examination of the motors of the ZR3 which returned to Friedrichshafen at 7 o'clock last night after cruising since 9 a. m. Thursday showed them to be functioning in perfect order.
The radio needed some overhauling, as it failed partially during the trip.
MORAN.—The street lighting system for this city has been completed by the West Texas Utilities Company and the lights are now in service.

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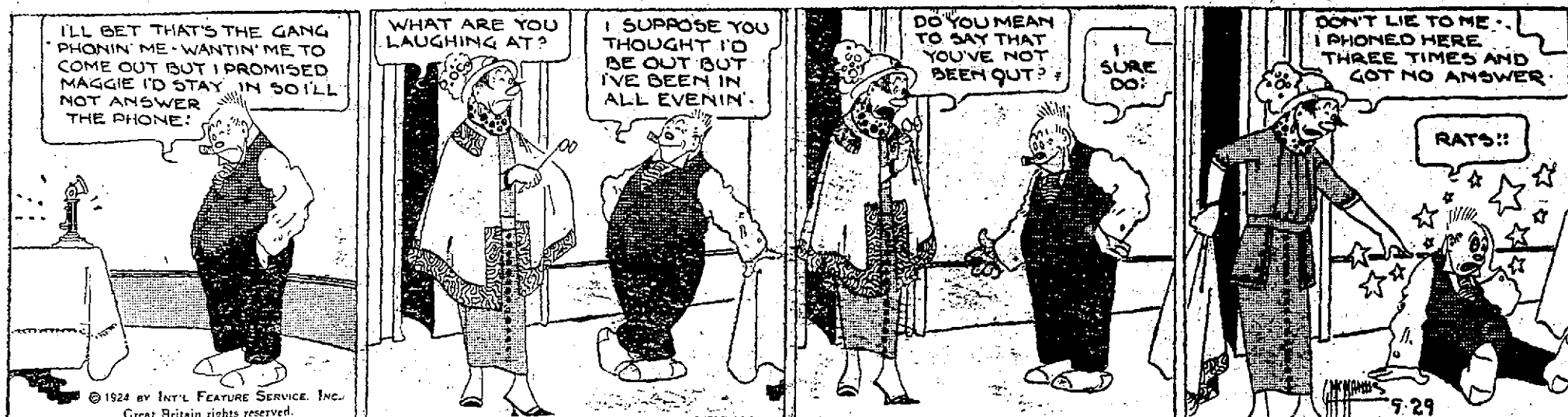
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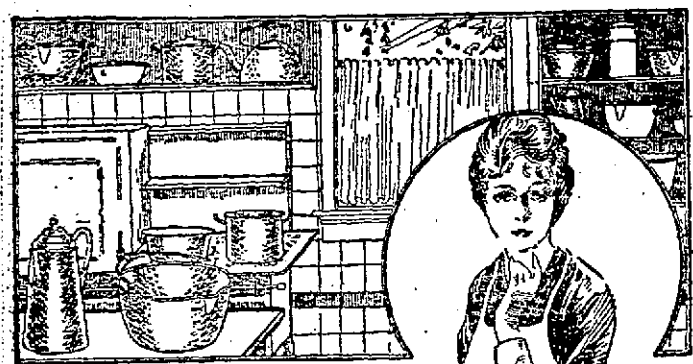
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By George McManus



Below 31 gravity	1.25
Rayneville	
33 gravity and above	\$1.50
Below 33 gravity	1.40
Bull Bayou	
38 gravity and above	\$1.35
35 to 37.5 gravity	1.40
32 to 34.5 gravity	1.35
De Soto crude	1.20
Crichton	1.40
Bellevue	1.50
Smackover	
26 gravity and above	\$1.05
25 to 25.5 gravity	.89
Below 24 gravity	.79
Stephens District	
Atlantic	
33 gravity and above	\$1.50
Below 33 gravity	1.50
El Dorado east field	.70
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Posted by Atlantic Oil Company:	
28 gravity and above 60 deg.	\$1.15
26 to 27.5 gravity at 60 deg.	1.10
23 to 24.5 gravity at 60 deg.	.85
Below 23 gravity at 60 deg.	.75
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New Work Transit	\$3.25
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Cabel	1.60
Ragland	1.00
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Somerset medium	1.70
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Hints From a House-Wife's Kitchen Diary



Easy House-Keeping Ideas

A WHOLESOME BAKED DINNER

Most housewives do not realize that oven dishes require really less attention than those prepared on top of the stove. But those who are fortunate enough to have self-basting enameled ware roasters, know from experience that this is a fact. The old-fashioned way of basting the meat every ten minutes, or so, did keep an almost constant on the job if the meat was to be well-favored and browned.

The enameled ware roaster, which not only roasts but bastes as well, has eliminated all the attention and thought that the old method involved. Roasts are said to be much better for one than fried foods and an additional advantage is that potatoes and vegetables can be roasted with the meat, which saves considerable time. White and Bermuda onions are on the market now and for a change from the usual boiled and creamed style of preparing them, try roasting them with the beef and potatoes. Select a six-pound roast, wipe with a damp cloth, sprinkle with salt, pepper and flour and cook in a very hot oven for twenty minutes. Then place around the meat six or eight large peeled potatoes and the same number of medium sized onions. Season the potatoes and onions, cover and cook at the same temperature for forty-five minutes.

REAL LEMON MERINGUE PIE

Homemade lemon meringue pie is always a real treat because the flavor is so different from that which we get in restaurants or in bakeries. Most restaurants have good apple, peach, pineapple and other fruit pies, but one seldom gets a real lemon pie. They are frequently made with extracts and are careless.

The filling should be prepared in an enameled ware double boiler which is impervious to acid in citrus fruits. This will insure the delicate color of the filling and the result will be creamy and delicious. Beat the yolks of two eggs until light and then add two tablespoons (rounded) cornstarch, which has been dissolved in a little cold water. Add the grated rind and juice of one lemon and one cupful sugar. Mix all thoroughly and put into an enameled ware boiler. Lastly add one cupful boiling water and cook until it thickens, stirring all the time. For the pastry use one and one-half cupfuls prepared flour, one-half cupful butter or other shortening and four to six tablespoonsful ice water. Roll out and cover a deep enameled ware pie plate. Prick well with a fork to prevent bubbles. Bake in a hot oven. When cool, add the filling and

ANNUAL CONGRESS OF SAFETY COUNCIL NOW OPENS AT LOUISVILLE

(By United Press)

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 29.—A new method of dealing with the national accident problem was announced by the National Safety Council when it opened its 13th annual safety congress here today.

Prominent among associations at the congress are: The United States Chamber of Commerce; The American Automobile Association; The United States Automobile Chamber of Commerce; The American Railway Association; The International Chief of Police Association; The National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters; The American Electric Railway association and the American Mutual Alliance.

The council proposes to enlist the aid of all national associations whose interests in any way touch upon the

street and highway problem.

C. B. Auel, vice-president of the Council, explained how the new program would be supplement the efforts of American cities—nine of which have just announced they have reduced public accident fatalities during the first six months of 1924 in comparison with the same period in 1923.

Seaplanes are to be used to carry passengers landing from ships at Cherbourg across the British channel to Southampton to take trains for London.

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FOR SALE—Three vacant lots, south front, near Cotton Mills. See N. P. HOUS, owner, at News office. 28-4-J

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Below 30 gravity	\$1.10
30 to 32.9 gravity	1.25
33 gravity and above	1.50
Magnolia prices:	
Below 28 gravity	.90
28 to 30.9 gravity	1.00
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.10
33 and above	1.25

North Central Texas.	
Corsicana light	1.50
Corsicana heavy	1.00
Thrall	1.00
Mexia	1.50
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Rockdale-Minerva	1.60
Above 39 gravity	1.80

Gulf Coast.	
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Grade B	1.80

NORTH AND CENTRAL TEXAS.	
North Texas—	Aug. 2 July 26
Burkburnett	19,450 19,150
Elcitra	20,750 21,450
IowaPark & K-M-A.	4,850 4,850
Petrolia	250 350
Archer County	29,200 39,450

Total, North Texas	74,600
Central Texas—	
Stephens County	19,350 20,100
Ranger (Eastland)	6,950 6,950
Desdemona	4,000 4,000
Young County	4,150 4,150
Mexia	27,500 28,800
Currie	3,300 3,400
Richland	14,000 16,500
Corsicana-Powell	82,400 82,400
Corsicana, heavy	650 650
Strawn	1,350 1,950

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North bound—	
145 From cut-off	1:47 p. m.
16 Dallas Ft. Worth	3:44 p. m.
31 Dallas Ft. Worth	12:50 p. m.
37 Dallas Ft. Worth	5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m.

South bound—	
148 To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
35 Austin San Antonio	12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
20 Houston San Antonio	12:16 a. m.

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GIANTS ARE NOW STARTING TO TRAIN FOR SERIES

By HENRY L. FARRELL.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—With their fourth straight National League champions put away safely in the bag, the New York giants start preparations today for the World's Series.
The champions have the final game of the regular season with the Phillies and Manager McGraw planned to work a lot of the rookies who have eating off the club during the season. McGraw does not, however, intend to let his regulars get off edge and several exhibition games will be played before Saturday when the series start.
The Washington Senators have not won the American League pennant officially but they were just as good as in. They have two more games to play with the Boston Red Sox and they have a lead of two games. The New York Yankees have a pair of games to play with the Philadelphia Athletics. If the Senators should lose two and the Yankees should win two they would finish in a tie and would have to go through a three-game series to decide the pennant. But the chance for a play off is remote.
The Senators can clinch the pennant if they win today's game and also if the Yankees lose theirs.
The Giants apparently figure that Washington is sure to win as plans have been made to send the team to Washington Thursday night. The players will work out in the Washington baseball park Friday, according to the arrangements.
McGraw is figuring on having Frank Frisch, captain of the team and Heinie Groh his veteran third baseman in shape to play during the series.
Frisch might have played a few innings yesterday but his manager would not allow him to take any chances. Groh, it was said would be able to get back in uniform in a few days.
While no line-up has been decided upon, McGraw intimated that he would like to use the following batting order, Groh, third base; Frisch, second base; Young, rightfield; Kelly, centerfield; Terry, first base; Wilson, left field; Jackson, shortstop, Cowdy, or Snyder, catcher.
Because of his experience and his ability as a fielder, Arthur Nehf, the veteran southpaw, may be called upon to pitch the first game for the Giants. He is in fine shape, now. McQuillan and Jack Bentley, the former International League left hander are also in good condition and ready for their turn.
McGraw said today he hadn't made up his mind about the pitcher and that the weather would have much to do with making his choice.
The Giants are ruling a slight favorite in the betting to win the series if Washington plays the American League end. Not much money is being offered as the Giants backers are doubtful about the team if Frisch and Groh do not play.
Read News Classified Ads.

CONGRESSMAN INDICTED FOR CIDER-MAKING.



Congressman John Philip ("Farmer") Hill, of Baltimore, Md., a decided "wet," is shown dispensing 2.75 per cent cider to some of the 5,000 guests who recently visited him in his "back yard farm," where he raised the apples which produced the cider. The cider was dispensed to test the dry laws, but dry agents didn't disturb the party. However, as a result, Congressman Hill has been indicted by a Federal Grand Jury for possessing wine and cider, manufacturing wine and cider, and maintaining a nuisance through the manufacture of the beverages.

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- (Central Standard Time)
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KFI, 6:00 Sunny Jim, the children's pal.
KGO, 6:00 to 7:30 Dance orchestra.
WOAW, 6:00 Popular half-hour.
WWJ, 6:00 Detroit News orchestra.
WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.
WIP, 6:00 Uncle Wip's bedtime stories.
WOAW, 6:30 Dinner program.
WOO, 6:30 Roof garden orchestra.
WDAK, 6:50 Moving Picture review.
- 7:00 to 8:00 p. m.
WOC, 7:00 Sandman's visit.
WHB, 7:00 to 8:00 Educational hour; music.
WCX, 7:00 Musical program.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30 Features, Majestic theater.
KGO, 7:30 to 8:00 KGO kiddies club.
8:00 to 9:00 p. m.
WLW, 8:00 Orchestra.
WOC, 8:00 Orchestra.
WDAF, 8:00 to 9:30 Program.
WOS, 8:00 Address.
WSB, 8:00 Vocal classics.
WOO, 8:10 Fox theater grand orchestra.
WDAK, 8:10 Stanley theater symphony orchestra.
WOS, 8:20 Band concert.
WLW, 8:30 Theatrical review.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30 Mozart choral club.
WLW, 8:45 Celo solos.
9:00 to 10:00 p. m.
WDAK, 9:00 Dance orchestra.
WLW, 9:00 Cooper orchestra and male quartet.
WOAW, 9:00 Opera program.
WOO, 9:00 Roof garden dance orchestra.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45 program.
10:00 to 11:00 p. m.
KGW, 10:00 concert.
KFI, 10:00 to 11:00 Evening Herald dance orchestra.
KGO, 10:00 Educational program; Arion trio.
WOC, 10:00 musical program.
WSB, 10:45 Radiowall entertainment.
11:00 to 12:00
KFI, 11:00 to 12:00 Examiner entertainment.
WDAF, 12:45 Nighthawk frolic.

SUNDAY BIG DAY AT METHODIST CHURCH IN MEXIA

Sunday was a big day at the First Methodist church here, the membership getting into line for the final campaign to wind up another successful year before the Central Texas Conference meets in Brownwood within the next six weeks.
Noel Hollingsworth, chairman of the Board of Stewards, made an appeal at the morning hour Sunday for all the members of the church to give their cooperation to the stewards in making all payments due on their pledges and assessments, within the next fifteen days, in order that the last month of the conference year might be devoted to other church work.
Rev. J. W. W. Shuler of the Methodist church at Graham preached at 11:00 o'clock and the pastor, Rev. W. B. Andrews, at 7:30. Rev. Andrews is urging the importance of the night services and the weekly prayer meetings. The choir and the pastor, both, he declares work just as hard, if not a little bit harder, on the Sunday night service than on the morning service and the messages of Wednesday evening, too, is brought after close study and prayer.

The ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society are to meet Monday afternoon.
Three additions to the church were announced by the pastor Sunday morning.

Assistant Attorney General In Kansas Injured By Auto

(By United Press)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 29.—Roy R. Hubbard, special assistant Attorney General of Kansas was in a critical condition today as the result of injuries received in a motor car collision here Sunday. Hubbard's skull was believed fractured.
Mrs. Charles B. Griffith, wife of the Attorney General of Kansas who was riding in the Hubbard car was injured but not seriously. Other occupants of the automobile were slightly hurt.

Another Arsenic Poisoning Case In Illinois Clears

(By United Press)
MARION, Ill., Sept. 29.—The third arsenic love murder in Southern Illinois in two months was cleared up today with a man and a wife of six days in the Williamson county jail, after confessing they poisoned the woman's former husband to get him out of the way.
First degree murder indictments probably will be returned by the county grand jury in session here this week against Robert Tate, coal miner, who made the final confession in the murder of Joseph Harrington.

Ruby Harrington Tate, widow of the victim who married Tate just twenty days after the death of Harrington on Sept. 3, confessed Saturday that she gave her husband the final dose of arsenic in buttermilk. Tate's confession, obtained after 30 hours of cross examination by Sheriff George Galligan and his deputies, corroborated the woman's story in almost every detail.
Tate acknowledged intimacy with the woman over a period of about six months, starting when he was a boarder at the Harrington home.

HOME DRESSMAKING

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Interpreting to the last degree the charm, simplicity and the insouciance of youth of Paris models, this frock lends itself to development in an unusually wide range of materials. It could not be more effective than as represented, however, in dark blue crepe de chine.

Inspired by all that is new in line and detail, this frock in heavy silk crepe de chine fits into the needs of the growing girl's wardrobe. It calls for two and seven-eighths yards of material 36 inches wide. The yoke is cut in one with the upper part of the kimono sleeves and put on with a

corded piping. The skirt is gathered to the low-belted blouse and trimmed with three tucks, which should be hand-run, if one is to carry out the spirit of the French mode.

The diagram shows the corded piping and how to apply it. First cut the material on the bias, making the fold twice as wide as it is to be when finished. Then sew a tuck in the fold, making it just large enough to smoothly encase the cord which is afterward to be inserted. Use a cable cord, threading it through the tuck with a bodkin or with a safety pin. In the absence of the former, just catch the end of the safety pin through the cord and elasp the pin and run it through the tuck. Fasten the ends so that the cord will not pull through.

To apply the piping, turn under the edge of the seam line and baste, then baste the piping along the edge of the seam, extending the piping just the width of the cord.

Challis seems to be growing in favor for girls' frocks. The fabric is soft and attractive and comes in a delightful range of colors and designs. Some unusually effective trimmings are featured in the models carried out in challis, such as, for instance, little wool balls on the sleeves, skirt and shoulders. Trimmings are also employed to accentuate the colors of the little flowers in the pattern.

Light backgrounds seem to be preferred to dark, although the neutral grays and tans are frequently seen.

Particularly effective as well as practical for school wear are linen frocks which combine two colors. This dress in brown and tan or in two shades of blue would be different.

Corded Piping Made and Applied

28 Believed To Be Drowned In The Great Lakes

(By United Press)
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 29.—Wreckage of the steamer Clifton picked up in Lake Huron, over the week end confirmed the belief that the missing whaleback went to the bottom with its crew of 28 men.
Search for bodies was continued today.
The Clifton bound for Detroit from Sturgeon Bay, Wis., with a cargo of crushed stone is believed to have sunk last Monday off Goerich, during a sixty-mile gale.

Ice Cream Supper Planned at Shiloh By W. M. S. Friday

Rev. G. W. Kinchloe, pastor of the Mexia Methodist circuit, stated Monday afternoon that the Woman's Missionary Society of the church at Shiloh would hold an ice cream supper at Shiloh Friday night. The affair will be given on the church lawn and near the school building. The public is cordially invited. The Woman's Missionary Society of the Shiloh congregation has been doing some wonderful work with their small and active membership. Growth for the society during the next year is hoped for.

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\$75,000.00 BLAZE AT NACOGDOCHES, TEXAS

(By United Press)
NACOGDOCHES, Texas, Sept. 29. Fire believed to have originated in the second story office destroyed five two-story buildings at Garrison near here early Sunday with an estimated loss of \$75,000.
The fire burned itself out after the block of buildings was gutted. Fire fighting equipment sent from here was powerless due to lack of water pressure.

France Looms As Strong Contestant For the Davis Cup

(By HENRY L. FARRELL.
(United Press Sports Editor)
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—America's overwhelming defeat of Australia in the challenge round at Philadelphia for the Davis cup was not a surprise. The decisiveness of the victory, however, was not expected.

With a Johnston who was thought to be on the decline and a youthful Richards who had never played cup singles before to help Bill Tilden, no one braved the forecast that the Americans would win the shutout victory of five to nothing.

Not only did the Australians fail to win one of the five matches, but they were able to win only one set and that in the doubles, where they were given a fine chance to win by the crickets.

America has had a chronic weakness in the doubles since Bill Tilden and Bill Johnston went to Australia in 1919 and brought back the cup. When other combinations failed, the committee this year turned back to the two Bills, and they delivered in noble fashion.

The United States already has made a new record of winning the challenge round for five years in succession and for holding the cup over the long stretch of continuous time. The prospect for the future is not bright as it was four years ago, of course. But there is no reason to believe that the team tennis supremacy of the world will not remain here for two years or more.

It has been proved rather convincingly that Australia has no chance to win the cup with the players that are now available. The challenging team, of course, would have been stronger this year with Jim Anderson, the Australian captain, in the lineup, but it would not have been strong enough to win the cup. Patterson and Wood are just as old and as far along in tennis as Tilden and Johnston. Brookes is through and the young Australians are not as far along as Richards and Howard Kinsey and there is little chance for them to catch up.

After all the money that has been spent in sending a team halfway around the world on a fruitless quest for the cup, it is probable that Australia may not challenge again next year, for the task will be just as hopeless and they know it. It is very likely that if Australia does send out another team next year that it will not get as far as the challenge round.

The menace to the future life of the cup in the United States looks to be developing in France. Rene Lacoste showed such good tennis here this summer in the international tournaments that he is regarded as a real comer in cup tennis. Jean Borotra



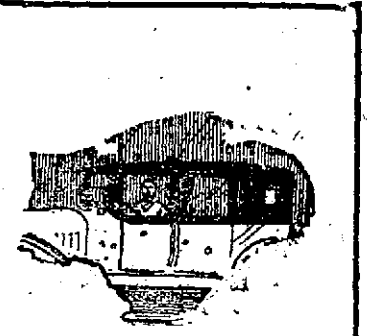
Edna Parks, who will be seen in one of the season's best plays at the Opera House.

Prince Of Wales Holds No Grudge Against Nobody

(By United Press)
NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—If the Prince of Wales holds anything against the United States as a result of his visit it probably will be a slight resentment against the kidding he got from the paragraphers and cartoonists about his horsemanship. The Prince probably would prefer to be handed the bird about anything but his riding, as it is his ranking passion and his greatest hobby.
The Prince, very likely, does not resent the good natured jesting about the numerous times he has taken the trip from the saddle to the turf, but the British subjects of his royal highness do take exception to any wise cracks about his horsemanship. The sentiment of his subjects was aptly put in words by one of the grooms attending the Prince's polo mounts at Meadowbrook. When asked why it was that the Prince fell off his mounts so many times, he replied with some emphasis: "His

highness does not fall off them, he falls with them."
When the writer was in London in June, he learned that the Prince was on the poor horseman that reports from the other side would have it appear in this country. The young heir to the British throne never has been thrown from a polo pony contrary to general belief in this country.

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